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*Departmental Reports*  
*For The Year*  
**1949**

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William J. Deegan, Jr.  
City Manager



## *Preface*

This is the 1949 story of the municipal government of Quincy, Massachusetts, one of the oldest and historically richest communities in the United States.

Quincy was visited by Captain Myles Standish in 1621 and was settled in 1625 when Captain Wollaston established a trading post here. On May Day, 1627, Thomas Morton, the first playboy recorded in American history, set up a Maypole in Merrymount, shocked the Pilgrims by roistering with the Indians, and was arrested by Standish and banished to England.

Quincy and Braintree were incorporated as the town of Braintree in 1640. In 1792 the North Precinct was separated and incorporated as the town of Quincy, with a population of 900. Quincy became a city in 1888.

Quincy is the birthplace of John Adams, John Quincy Adams and John Hancock. The bodies of the two presidents and their wives rest under First Parish church; the Adams' birthplaces and the Adams Mansion, a national historic shrine, are visited yearly by thousands of tourists.

Quincy industry was dominated by granite in olden days and by shipbuilding in recent times. The city is the site of the first railway in America.

This year of 1949 marks the close of an era in Quincy political history, for Plan A, a form of municipal government in which executive powers are invested in a mayor, will be replaced in 1950 by Plan E, or the council-manager form, in which such powers are invested in a city manager.

This story of municipal services rendered to Quincy's 83,000 inhabitants is compiled from annual reports of city officials and department heads.



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## Directory of City Officials — 1949

HON. CHARLES A. ROSS, Mayor

### City Council

Members at Large—Frank N. Orcutt, Carl W. Anderson, Mrs. Edna B. Austin.

Ward Councilors—Ward One, David J. Crowley; Ward Two, William J. Papile; Ward Three, Amelio Della Chiesa; Ward Four, John B. O'Connor; Ward Five, Clifton H. Baker; Ward Six, Thomas J. Gilmartin.

President of the Council—Clifton H. Baker.

Clerk of the Council—Mrs. Hattimay Thomas.

Deputy Clerk of the Council—Donald P. Crane.

Clerk of Committees—Percy N. Lane.

City Messenger—Harry W. Tirrell.



#### AUDITOR OF ACCOUNTS

Leo E. Mullin

#### BUILDING INSPECTOR

Alrick A. Weidman

#### CITY CLERK

Mrs. Hattimay Thomas

#### ASSISTANT CITY CLERK

Donald P. Crane

#### CHIEF OF FIRE DEPARTMENT

Thomas F. Gorman

#### CHIEF OF POLICE DEPARTMENT

John J. Avery, pensioned August 28, 1949; Joseph F. Hughes, appointed August 28.

#### SUPERINTENDENT OF FIRE AND POLICE SIGNALS

Thomas J. Smith

#### HARBOR MASTER

James A. M. Nash

#### HEALTH COMMISSIONER

Dr. Richard M. Ash

#### CITY PHYSICIAN

Dr. William R. Helrich

#### COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WORKS

Charles R. Herbert

#### PURCHASING AGENT

Orrie D. Williams

#### COMMISSIONER OF PUBLIC WELFARE

Anthony J. Venna

#### SUPERINTENDENT OF SEWER DIVISION (TEMPORARY)

Patrick J. Tymon

#### CITY SOLICITOR

John P. Flavin

#### COLLECTOR OF TAXES

Frederick C. Smail

#### CITY TREASURER

John R. Shaughnessy, deceased June 27, 1949; Miss Mildred L. Tyler, appointed July 1, 1949.

#### DIRECTOR OF VETERANS' SERVICES

Edmund F. Genereau

#### SUPERINTENDENT OF WATER DIVISION

John G. Whitman

#### SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES

Harold Hughes

#### INSPECTOR OF WIRES

Frank Lints

## *School Committee for 1949*

MAYOR CHARLES A. ROSS, Chairman  
RAYMOND C. WARMINGTON, Vice Chairman

A. Wendell Clark	Carter Lee
William A. Anderson	Alexander Smith

Mrs. Helen E. Spencer, died January 9, 1949  
Mrs. Annie B. Forsyth, elected to fill vacancy.  
Dr. Paul Gossard, Secretary of the Committee and Superintendent of Schools.  
Albert H. Cochrane, Assistant Superintendent.  
Rudolph A. Lofgren, Assistant Superintendent.



## *Administrative Boards*

### BOARD OF ASSESSORS

Charles F. A. Smith, Chairman  
Arnold Eastman  
Larry Antonelli

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James S. Collins, Chairman  
Georgiana C. Lane  
Clara E. Thompson  
Henrietta C. Thomas  
D. Foster Taylor  
Vincent Readdy, died in March, 1949.  
L. Paul Marini, appointed to vacancy.

### PARK COMMISSIONERS

J. Ernest Collins, Chairman  
William J. Mitchell  
Kenneth P. Fallon, Jr.

### RECREATION COMMISSION

J. Ernest Collins, Chairman  
William J. Mitchell  
Kenneth P. Fallon, Jr.  
Alexander Smith  
Katherine G. McCoy  
Gilbert L. Crofts  
John J. Morley

### MANAGERS OF WOODWARD PROPERTY AND FUND

Hon. Charles A. Ross, Mayor  
John R. Shaughnessy, City Treasurer  
Mildred L. Tyler, City Treasurer  
Hattiemay Thomas, City Clerk  
Leo E. Mullin, City Auditor  
Christian A. Burkard (Elected by Council)

## BOARD OF SURVEY

Louis F. R. Langelier  
 William H. Couch  
 John J. Manning

## BOARD OF LICENSE COMMISSIONERS

Thomas F. Gorman, Chief of Fire Department, Chairman  
 John J. Avery, Chief of Police  
 Joseph F. Hughes, Chief of Police  
 Alrick A. Weidman, Building Inspector  
 Dr. Richard M. Ash, Health Commissioner  
 Mrs. Hattiemay Thomas, City Clerk

## PLANNING BOARD

Walter A. Schmitz, Chairman  
 Delcevere King  
 Ernest N. Gelotte  
 Fred E. Bergfors  
 John J. Duane

## BOARD OF REGISTRARS

Mrs. Hattiemay Thomas, City Clerk  
 Mrs. Mary E. Hurney  
 William F. Maher  
 Charles H. Thorner

## QUINCY CITY HOSPITAL BOARD OF MANAGERS

George W. Arbuckle, Chairman  
 Esther C. Boling, Secretary  
 William J. Martin  
 Augustus E. Settimelli  
 Howard Deacon, Resigned  
 J. Brooks Keyes

## RETIREMENT BOARD

George H. Bonsall, Chairman  
 John F. Denneen  
 Leo E. Mullin, City Auditor

## BOARD OF MANAGERS OF HISTORICAL PLACES

William C. Edwards, Chairman  
 Grace P. Bonsall, Secretary  
 Henry Adams  
 Lawrence W. Lyons  
 Harriet B. Pierce (Deceased)

## BOARD OF APPEALS (Building)

John J. Gallagher  
 Paul N. Sullivan  
 James R. Hanlon

BOARD OF APPEALS (Zoning)

Heslip E. Sutherland

Thomas E. Fallon

Walter A. Schmitz

FENCE VIEWERS

Robert H. Fay

Gustave A. Bergfors

Herbert A. Shaughnessy

John P. Noonan

*SECTION 1*

**GENERAL GOVERNMENT**

EXECUTIVE

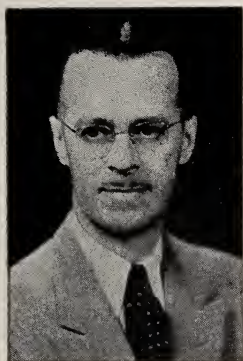
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CITY CLERK

LICENSE COMMISSION



# The Quincy City Council of 1949



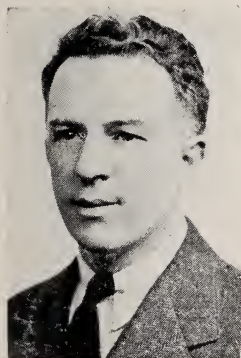
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Edna B. Austin



David J. Crowley



Amelo Della Chiesa



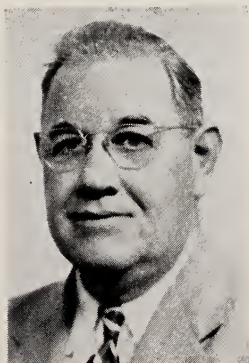
Clifton H. Baker  
President of  
The Council



Thomas J. Gilmartin



John B. O'Connor



Frank N. Orcutt



William J. Papile





## *Mayor's Annual Message - 1949*

On Monday, January 3, 1949, the final Quincy City Council before the replacement of Plan A by Plan E was organized with Councilor Clifton H. Baker elected as president. In his annual message to the council, Mayor Charles A. Ross asked for a \$300 pay increase for all city employees. The mayor said, in part:

"The Commissioner of Public Works has made an exhaustive and excellent study of the automotive equipment of the City and has submitted to me a report, containing a list of our equipment and the cost of mechanics and repairs during the year 1948. According to this report we have approximately 100 trucks owned by the City of Quincy; we have approximately 75 pieces of heavy equipment, including bulldozers, graders, compressors, etc.; and we have approximately 50 passenger cars. It is clear, therefore, that we are a large city owning 225 pieces of automotive equipment. In an effort to keep this equipment in running condition, we paid in all departments, during the year 1948, for mechanics wages and salaries, a total cost of \$23,522. The cost for parts and repairs for 1948 for these motor vehicles was \$43,125, a total cost for mechanics and parts and repairs of \$66,647. It is my belief that acting under the new ordinance, we can curtail this tremendous expense by a substantial amount. In considering this matter, it may well be that the future will hold a different method of operation. Our fleet of sanitary trucks, is rapidly growing old and it may be good judgment not to replace this equipment but rather to launch on a new program of contracting the collection of garbage and rubbish as has been done in other municipalities. This, however, is in the future and involves the reduction of the number of city employees. It is something, however, for members of the Council, who will undoubtedly continue in the service of their City, to consider as time passes by."

In line with this whole program of city equipment, arises the question which the Council is now considering, of the purchase of certain snowfighting equipment. It appears wise to purchase some new equipment and to so arrange such purchases that part of this snow fighting equipment, at least, may be used in other departments when not operating on snow. Money for the purchase of this equipment will have to be borrowed and proper orders will be presented to you.

"There is the question of the necessity of an addition to the Police Station garage for the housing of the motor vehicles of the Police Department. The floor of the present garage will have to be raised about 18 inches because of water conditions which exist there and this present garage can then be used in conjunction with an addition which seems to be very essential.

"There is also to be considered during the coming year, the possible erection of, and rebuilding school buildings, and, of course, the completion and erection of our Health Center on Hancock street.

"New street construction must continue and I trust it will be as successful as the street construction program of 1948. For this purpose, money will have to be borrowed and from present indications, a sum of \$200,000 would be necessary, exclusive of the building of Washington street.

"In connection with borrowing for public improvements, we also have the question of the municipal parking area. A bill has been filed in the Legislature seeking permission to borrow not over \$300,000 for rebuilding the parking area and for authority to install therein parking meters. I am informed by the Commissioner of Public Works that perhaps this figure of \$300,000 is more than would be necessary but if this bill is favorably acted upon, we can then determine what course of action we should take in regard thereto. I am disappointed that so many of our owners of business properties in and around the parking area, are now seeking tax abatements when we are at the same time moving towards a completion of a parking area which is, without question, the outstanding area of its kind in the entire Commonwealth.

"Again I would recommend to the Council, the widening of Revere Road from Hancock Street to the Southern Artery. It appears to me that such a project would be of great value to the public and would go far to remedy traffic conditions in and around Quincy Square.

"One matter of tremendous importance to me and to the members of the Council is the question of salary increases. The matter has been of grave concern to me and to the members of the Council and I know that at recent meetings, you have had some intensive discussion thereon. After a review of the entire situation, I am recommending to the Council, for your action, a \$300 increase for all municipal employees with the exception of the employees of the School Department, who have already been taken care of by action of the School Committee. Such an increase as I have proposed will make it necessary that all departments must reduce their expenses and cost of operation to a minimum so that we may be able to maintain a reasonable tax rate. The proposed increase, however, I feel to be necessary in order that the city employees may have sufficient funds to properly care for their families under present conditions of living costs."

## *Office of The City Clerk*

The Office of the City Clerk has many points of contact with the lives of Quincy citizens from birth to death. Here in this office, when your birth is recorded, you are given your first recognition as an inhabitant of Quincy and as a citizen of the United States. With the recording of your birth you are pledged the tremendous blessing of American citizenship.

Here they record your birth, your marriage, your death, the births of your children, your right to vote. Here they issue you a license to marry, to hunt, to fish, to trap, to keep a dog. Here they record your personal mortgages, bills of sale and mortgage discharges. Here you come for written proof of your right to a free education. Here you come if your marriage, your right to vote, your right to attend school, your nativity or your citizenship is challenged.

Certified copies of licenses and records are issued either for personal use or for legal or governmental purposes.

The City Clerk's Office also keeps the official records of the City Council, supervises elections and serves as workman's compensation agent for city employes.

The vital statistics for this year and last year are as follows:

	1948	1949
Births	2315	2224
Marriages	1141	1021
Deaths	982	948

The total number of registered voters in 1949 was 44,257, as against 45,990 in 1948.

During 1949 various types of dog licenses issued were as follows: male, 1,903; female, 179; spayed, 1,036; kennels, 10.

## Board of License Commissioners

The Board of License Commissioners consists of five city officials whose positions give them special qualifications for passing judgment on the issuance of licenses and permits for various types of enterprises under its jurisdiction. They are the Fire Chief, Health Commissioner, Building Inspector and City Clerk. The Fire Chief is the chairman and the City Clerk is the secretary.

Heretofore, the Board included only the Fire Chief, Police Chief and City Clerk, but during the year the other two officials were added.

The Board conducts hearings on the issuance of new licenses and permits, on transfers and on charges brought against licensees by various enforcement agencies. Personal inspections are made before licenses are issued or transferred.

The following table shows the types of licenses and permits issued and the amount of fees collected during 1949.

Type of License	Collected
Common Victuallers	\$ 885.00
Lord's Day	800.00
Garage, gasoline, repair shops, alcohol, and inflammables	3,662.00
Motors	2,075.00
Amusements, Public Halls	575.00
Secondhand, Junk Shops	550.00
Bowling, Billiards, Pool	1,920.00
Liquor	72,750.00
Miscellaneous	871.88
Total	<hr/> \$84,088.88

Fees collected in 1948 amounted to \$82,171.05; and in 1947 to \$73,103.10. These figures reflect the gradual but steady growth of business enterprises regulated by the Board.

SECTION II

PROTECTION OF PERSONS  
AND PROPERTY

POLICE DEPARTMENT

FIRE DEPARTMENT

SEALERS OF WEIGHTS and MEASURES

BUILDING INSPECTOR

WIRE INSPECTOR



## *Police Department*

The year 1949 brought a new Chief to the Quincy Police Department. Chief John J. Avery, who had served law and order as a Quincy Police Officer since May 7, 1910 and who had been Chief since 1936, reached the mandatory retirement age on August 28. Mayor Charles A. Ross appointed Lieut. Joseph F. Hughes, who topped the Civil Service list, as his successor.

The personnel of the Department in 1949 included, beside the Chief, four Captains, eight Lieutenants, 10 Sergeants, one Policewoman and 113 regular Patrolmen.

During the year the Department arrested 2,021 persons, including 1,860 males and 161 females. Of these, 1,792 were native born and 229 were foreign born. The Department made the most arrests in December, when 244 persons were locked up; and the fewest arrests in February, when only 111 persons felt the long arm and strong hand of the law. During the year 1,440 wagon calls and 414 ambulance calls were recorded.

Records of the Traffic Bureau are as follows: accidents, 569; persons injured, 573; persons killed, 8; prosecutions, 522; warnings to motor violators, 762; tags issued, 5,149.



Chief  
JOSEPH F. HUGHES  
New Head  
of the  
Quincy  
Police Department



Chief  
JOHN J. AVERY  
Retiring Leader  
of  
Quincy's Finest



## JUVENILE RECORDS

Juvenile Court Cases .....	100
Informal Hearings at Probation Office .....	25
Informal Hearings at Police Station .....	135
Malicious Property Damage .....	92
Miscellaneous Investigations .....	77
Restitution Made to Owners .....	\$1,400
Property Recovered .....	\$2,210

## PHOTOGRAPHY BUREAU

Prisoners Printed and Photographed .....	102
Accidents and Street Scenes .....	38
Claims Against the City .....	32

## BUREAU OF INVESTIGATION

Breaks Investigated .....	356
Deaths Investigated .....	28
Larceny Cases Investigated .....	377
Robbery Cases Investigated .....	25
Miscellaneous Investigations .....	750
Stolen Property Recovered .....	\$17,179.15

## RADIO DIVISION

Messages Sent from Headquarters .....	32,365
Messages Received at Headquarters .....	23,007

## LIQUOR BUREAU

Liquor Inspections .....	9,718
Complaints Investigated .....	71
Hearings Before License Board .....	10
Licenses Suspended .....	4
Cases in Court .....	3

During the year six members of the Department, other than Chief Avery, were retired on pensions. They were Captain George W. Fallon and Patrolmen Joseph W. Benn, John E. Buell, Thomas J. Fallon, Joseph P. Griffin and John Looby. Patrolman George W. Fay, retired, died.

## Fire Department

An efficient, adequately manned, trained and equipped Fire Department is a prime "Must" among municipal services. Anything less constitutes a serious hazard to life and property of citizens.

The personnel of the Quincy Fire Department, substantially expanded in 1948 when the 48-hour week was effected, consists in 1949 of 197 men, including a Chief, four Deputies, 13 Captains, 23 Lieutenants, 154 privates, one mechanic and one civilian clerk.

There are seven fire stations, strategically located about the city. Central Station, nearest the business district, houses the Departmental Administrative Offices and the Fire Alarm Headquarters—nerve center of the Department—in addition to apparatus. Other stations are located in Houghs Neck, Quincy Point, West Quincy, Wollaston, Atlantic and Squantum.

Apparatus includes two Hose Combinations, nine Pumping Engines, three Aerial Ladders, one of which is scheduled for early delivery, two City Service Ladders, two Special Service Trucks and three Cars.

The total fire loss for 1949 was \$135,119, as against \$389,582 in 1948. Of the total losses in 1949, insurance payments covered \$116,446.

The Department responded to 2,311 alarms in 1949, an increase of 289 over the preceding year. The alarms this year were classified as follows: dwellings, 240; mercantile, 99; automobiles, 116; grass and dump, 1,367; miscellaneous, 372; false, 102; mutual aid, 15.

In responding to these alarms Quincy firemen made 4,143 apparatus runs; laid 204,800 feet of hose and raised 5,388 feet of ladders. Hose One, located at Headquarters, was the busiest piece of apparatus, making 645 runs during the year. Engine Four, Wollaston, with 486 runs, and Engine Five, West Quincy, with 484, were the only other pieces of apparatus averaging better than a run a day for the year.

Engine Five laid the most hose, 73,200 feet; and Ladder Two, Wollaston, raised the most ladders, 2,687 feet. In battling blazes, Quincy fire fighters used hydrants for 584 hours and pumped engines for 624 hours.

The Fire Prevention Bureau of the Department made 15,961 inspections and issued 2,370 permits.

In his recommendations for the future, Chief Thomas F. Gorman wrote in his annual report: "The apparatus in general is in good condition with an average age of 12.6 years; with the oldest 25 years and the newest three years, for a total of 17 pieces not including the Chief Officers' cars. The replacement of Ladder Five as a first step; Hose One and Special Service replacements as a second step; with a definite program of replacement of several older Engines in accordance with their age and past work, as a third step."

The Chief also recommended strengthening the Officer Complement so that there would be at least one Officer on duty in all stations during normal times. He pointed out that it is not considered good management to place privates in command.

"The number of men provided does not give maximum on duty forces to comply with the National Board requirements or the recognized requirements of any other survey organization," the Chief said.

He also recommended the addition of another Inspector to the Fire Prevention Bureau, and the use of radio for communications.

### *Sealer of Weights and Measures*

Much of our earnings is spent on commodities which are sold to us by pounds, feet or gallons. The function of the Sealer of Weights and Measures is to make sure that when we pay for a pound of flour we get a pound, when we pay for a yard of cloth we get a yard, when we pay for a gallon of fuel oil we get a gallon.

This does not imply that the average seller intends to cheat us; but very often the measuring device or weighing device with which he measures or weighs his wares gets out of order for mechanical reasons. Sometimes it even gives over weight or over measure; probably more often under weight or measure.

To make certain that both the buyer and the seller get a fair deal, the sealer of weights and measures makes thousands of tests and inspections each year. These tests reveal that many measuring devices are inaccurate. Some can be adjusted; others must be condemned and replaced.

In 1949 the Sealer of Weights and Measures made 1406 reweighings of commodities. In these reweighings he found 1119 weighings had been correct, 198 under weight and 89 over weight. Commodities reweighed included bread, butter, coal, confectionery, dry commodities, flour, fruits and vegetables, meats and provisions, and, in one instance, cord wood.

In testing scales, he sealed, or approved, 1286, adjusted 219, deferred 131 and condemned 75.

In testing weights, he sealed 2514, adjusted 59 and condemned 11.

In testing capacity measures he sealed 398, condemned 50.

In testing automatic measuring devices, he sealed 783, adjusted 28, deferred 386 and condemned 38.

In addition to this work, he made 8260 inspections. His office collected a total of \$2,085.90 in fees and charges during the year.



## Department of Building Inspection

Building operations in Quincy for which permits were issued during 1949 came to an estimated total cost of \$5,509,549.00 as against \$4,493,295.00 in 1948. The number of permits issued in 1949 was 1,644 as against 1,600 in the preceding year. Fees collected for permits in 1949 was \$11,981.50 as against \$9,234.00 in 1948.

### BUILDING OPERATIONS BY WARDS

Ward 1 .....	\$3,201,361
Ward 2 .....	386,810
Ward 3 .....	292,024
Ward 4 .....	375,648
Ward 5 .....	505,535
Ward 6 .....	748,171
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Total	\$5,509,549

### PERMITS ISSUED

217 One Family Dwellings .....	\$1,449,550
6 Two Family Dwellings .....	51,000
6 Three Family Dwellings .....	50,000
101 Four Family Dwellings .....	2,018,000
1 Cottage .....	3,000
14 Mercantile .....	330,350
2 Manufacturing .....	9,200
16 Storage .....	42,425
192 Garages .....	113,090
888 Residential Alterations .....	484,180
135 Other Alterations .....	461,124
28 Removals .....	6,955
3 Elevators .....	11,900
15 Signs .....	8,550
20 Miscellaneous .....	470,225
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1,644	\$5,509,549

During the year there were 651 living units provided by new construction and 42 by alterations to existing property, a total of 693.

The board of appeals for the building code rendered decisions on 11 applications, of which 9 were granted, 2 denied and 2 filed without action.

The board of appeals for zoning held hearings on 15 applications. Of these, 11 were granted, 4 denied and 1 withdrawn.

The estimated total valuation for which permits were issued during the year was increased substantially by the issuance of permits for the 100 four-family houses started in November in the Snug Harbor Veterans' project. This property, the valuation of which approximates two million dollars, is not taxable.

The 693 new dwelling units covered by permits issued in 1949 will substantially abate the housing shortage. This is almost twice the number of new dwelling units covered by the permits issued in 1948 when only 326 added units were provided for.

### *Wire Inspection Department*

The Wire Inspection Department in 1949 issued 2,016 permits for which fees totalling \$4,308 were received. The total amount of fees collected ran slightly higher than the total in 1948 when \$4,290.50 was collected.

During the year 2,229 inspections of all kinds were made as against 2,691 in the preceding year. During 1949 4 refrigerators, 96 water heaters, 298 electric ranges, 6,081 lights, 772 oil burners, 74 signs and 10 gas burners were wired for, the annual report of the department discloses.

*SECTION III*

HEALTH AND SANITATION

HEALTH DEPARTMENT  
QUINCY CITY HOSPITAL  
SANITARY DIVISION  
SEWER DIVISION  
WATER DIVISION





*Commission of Public Health*



DR. RICHARD M. ASH, M. D.



## *Health Department*

The year 1949 marks the beginning of a new era in the history of the Quincy Health Department. During this year construction of the new Public Health Center was begun. Its completion, scheduled for the late 1950, will open up new opportunities and facilities for **expanded service** in the field of preventive medicine.

The Quincy Health Center, partly financed by Federal funds, is the second of its kind to be started in the country. The building was designed by M. A. Dyer Company, Boston architects; and the contract was let to James S. Kelliher, Quincy contractor. The total cost, of which the City bears two-thirds and the Federal government the balance, will approximate a half million dollars.

"The vision of a unit with all of our various divisions housed under one roof with efficient and ample equipment to properly conduct the affairs of a modern and up to date Health Department has become an actuality," wrote Dr. Richard M. Ash, Commissioner of Health, who has worked long and hard toward the materialization of this vision.

"In spite of the greatly expanded field of services that have been assigned to the Health Department over the past ten or fifteen years, we have carried on with limited personnel. With few facilities, and those scattered over the city, it would have been difficult to economically and efficiently use needed personnel. Now, with proper facilities and quarters, it is necessary to add a limited number to our staff to properly conduct our work, and bring the Department up to the minimum requirements that are obligatory to obtain Federal assistance that will be available very soon.

"There have been tremendous advances in research work for the past several years, and almost undreamed of treatment and preventive procedure have become known and widely used. While many diseases have been brought under control and some practically eliminated; it is predicted by authorities that these will be overshadowed by events to occur in the immediate ensuing years. With such a facility as we are now building, we will be able to take advantage of these as soon as their value is determined.

"Our Center will be visited by Health authorities from all over the Eastern and Central portion of the country, and providing that it is properly administered, the facilities efficiently operated and used to their economically best advantages, it will be an institution of which the people of Quincy may well be proud. Already it is being followed closely by authorities from distances away who are eagerly awaiting what is supposed to be the ideal to follow in local health administration."

## Vital Statistics

There were 752 deaths in Quincy during 1949. Adjusting this figure by subtracting 79 non-resident deaths and adding the 153 resident deaths occurring outside the city, the official figure of 826 resident deaths is obtained. This leaves Quincy with a death rate of 9.5 per 1,000 in 1949. This rate is .8 per 1,000 in excess of the rate for 1946, which was the lowest ever recorded here; and it is .2 per 1,000 less than in 1948.

The principal causes of death, as in many years past, were diseases of the heart, cancer and intracranial lesions in that order. Deaths from heart diseases, with 334, showed an increase of 15 over the 1948 figure. The 148 cancer deaths showed an increase of 7. Deaths from intracranial lesions were 75, or 17 less than in 1948. These three causes were responsible for 557 deaths, or 67.4 percent of the total.

There were 30 deaths from reportable diseases, as against 25 in 1948 and 31 in 1947. Of these, 22 were from tuberculosis.

Infant mortality, with 37 deaths, indicated a rate of 20.5 per 1,000 live births, the lowest in a decade. Of these 37 deaths, 29 occurred in the first month of life. There were only two maternal deaths at births, a rate of 1.1 per 1,000.

With 1805 births credited to the city in 1949, the birth rate per 1,000 was 20.8. Thus the Stork won over the Grim Reaper during the year by 11.3; giving Quincy a net gain of 979 inhabitants resulting from the vital causes of birth and death. These figures left Quincy with a birth-death ratio of 218.9 in 1949 as against 227.3 in 1948 and 250.3 in 1947.

### REPORTABLE DISEASES

Chickenpox, 666; Animal Bites, 204; Mumps, 193, and Scarlet Fever, 130, topped the list of reportable diseases in 1949. Measles, which hit an epidemic mark in 1948 with 2,331 cases, fell off to 93 cases in 1949.

Diphtheria remained low with only two cases as against one in 1948. Poliomyelitis jumped from one in 1948 to 56 in 1949, when this ailment struck down 28 persons in August and 22 in September, and then tapered off.

Pulmonary Tuberculosis developed 41 cases in 1949 as against 52 and 44 in 1948 and 1947 respectively. During 1949 there were 516 cases of this disease registered in the city; of which 85 were active and 348 arrested.

### CHILD WELFARE

The Quincy Health Department through its Child Welfare Program conducted 318 Well Baby clinics, 10 Pre-School clinics and 12 Ortho-

pedic clinics during the year, with a total registration of 1,669 and a total clinical attendance of 3,040. In addition, Child Welfare nurses made 1,170 visits to babies under two years of age.

Nurses referred 27 cases to Private or Dental clinics, 89 cases to local medical physicians; 37 to Child Guidance clinics and two to the children's hospital

## CHILD GUIDANCE CLINIC

The Quincy Child Guidance Clinic, staffed and supported by the State Departmental of Mental Health with supplementary support from the Quincy Community Chest, operated two full days a week through the year. Case therapy work was conducted by three psychiatric social workers four days weekly. Temporary staff vacancies somewhat curtailed services; demands for service could not be met, and a waiting list accumulated.

The average attendance at the clinic days was 30 children; visits totalled 2,647, or an average of  $10\frac{1}{2}$  visits per child. A total of 6,541 interviews were recorded, and a total of 292 children were served.

## MISCELLANEOUS

Nurses in parochial schools made 233 visits; visited 162 homes; made 1,801 health inspections; weighed and measured 693 pupils and referred 44 pupils to private doctors. In connection with this work, 1,295 vision tests and 1,089 hearing tests were made.

The school dental clinic examined 4,531 children, Grades One through Three. A total of 1,533 teeth were filled; 872 teeth were extracted.

The pre-school dental clinic treated 170 children; filled 458 teeth and extracted 19.

The work of the milk and dairy farm inspector produced some interesting statistics. They include the following: 7,649,000 quarts of milk, 406,583 quarts of cream and 901,888 quarts of ice cream sold in Quincy during the year; 2,138 milk samples analyzed; 450 processing plants inspected; 1,070 vehicles inspected; 560 dairy inspections and 725 store and restaurant inspections.

During the year the food inspector made 2,595 routine inspections. He condemned 1,402 pounds of food; 1,540 pounds of fish; 58 bushels of fruit and vegetables.

The plumbing inspector issued 238 permits for new and 1,021 for old buildings. During the year 216 buildings were connected with sewers, 6 with septic tanks and 16 with cesspools.

## *The Quincy City Hospital*

The Quincy City Hospital in 1949, the 60th year of its service to the community, showed a continuing high level in the number of patients admitted and a steady increase in the volume of work performed. Again, however, the unresolved picture of over-crowded conditions had to be faced.

Hospital costs continued to rise in a spectacular increase in supplies, labor and services begun in 1946. Wages remained a major part of the operating expense, with the hospital competing with industry in pay and working conditions.

"The demand for new hospital construction is acute," Dr. Ensio K. F. Ronka, director, told the board of managers in his annual report. "The planned construction program must reflect future economies."

Wages and commodity prices are not the only forces causing upward trends," he pointed out. "Medical science has made phenomenal advances. This greatly increased the scope of hospital care and necessitates additional facilities. Nuclear medicine and new diagnostic services are here, demanding increasing knowledge and effectiveness of future medical care. The hospital, as the health center of the community, must provide the facilities and the technical assistance to make these advances available to the sick. Additional costs must be expected if we are to fulfill our mission of benefiting the sick in the continual battle against misfortune of ill health."

Dr. Ronka expressed the opinion: "The hospital exists only to care for the sick, conduct clinical investigation and to train medical personnel—not to make a profit."

The director summarized some of the results of the reorganization of the hospital during the past four years. Among these he listed: new rules and regulations for the medical staff compiled to meet the requirements of the American College of Surgeons hospital standardization program; departmentalization of the medical activities of the staff and appointment of chiefs for the departments; creation of a medical staff educational program required for the approval of the American College of Surgeons and the American Medical Association; organization of a residency training program, resulting in the approval of residencies in various fields; reorganization of the laboratory department under a full-time pathologist; establishment of the department of Anesthesiology with a full-time physician-anesthetist.

Other accomplishments included: establishment of a personnel department; a new central service and supply department; organization of an employees' association; completion of plans for a new wing; highest rating in the history of the hospital from the American College of Surgeons.

Dr. Ronka listed as prime needs: added nursing personnel; increasing wages to a plane more equitable with wages paid in industry; construction of a new power plant, new nursing wing and new surgical unit; improvement and control of costs and consolidation of all accounting functions under one head; a better public relations program.

#### REPORT OF STATISTICIAN—

Expenses for 1949 showed an increase over those for 1948 of \$258 - 510.98. The greater part of this, \$246,950.70, was due to increased expenditures for salaries and wages. Foremost among the factors contributing to the increase was the \$300 per year raise to all employees; and increase in personnel, particularly nurses, due to the 40-hour week; and the institution of the "cash-salary" basic for compensation for nurses.

Although cash receipts for 1949 showed an increase of \$28,541.94 over 1948, the excess of expenditures over receipts produced an increase of \$229,969.94, and reached a total of \$647,418.28 for the year. It is interesting to note in comparing the years of 1948 and 1949 that during the latter year admissions increased while in-patient days decreased and the average length of stay decreased approximately one full day. This condition of a more rapid turn-over means an increase in work and consequent costs. The in-patient per diem cost for 1947, 1948 and 1949 were \$13, \$16 and \$20 respectively.

During the past few years when expenses have increased rapidly, the charges for services at the hospital have remained fairly constant.

#### DEPARTMENT OF SURGERY

A department of Obstetrics and Gynecology was created in 1949 within the surgical services. This department, which has operated heretofore as a division of the general surgical service, will operate independently. This plan provides improvement in services rendered under exclusive direction of specialists in the field who are vitally interested in advancing all phases of the specialty in the treatment of patients. It also offers improved graduate training for junior staff men and house officers. The plan has the approval of the AMA.

In March the new out-patient department was opened, and a clinic for the treatment of surgical patients established. This service provides for consultation, diagnosis and treatment of low income groups. Since the opening of the department surgical treatment has been provided for 742 patient visits.

A noteworthy event of the year has been the establishment of a teaching affiliation with the Boston University school of medicine, Dr. Arthur L. Hanrahan, surgeon-in-chief, points out.

## DEPARTMENT OF MEDICINE

The year of 1949 witnessed the gradually expanding activities of the department of medicine at the hospital. Dr. Daniel M. Swan, physician-in-chief, reported. The medicine out-patient department was established during the year and operated three mornings each week.

## DEPARTMENT OF NURSING

At the exercises held in First Parish hall in March, 23 students were capped in the exercises of the school of nursing. On June 15, in the graduation exercises held in Quincy High school, 27 students were graduated.

The first award of the Dr. and Mrs. Charles Sumner Adams Scholarship was given to Miss Olive Duggan, selected by the faculty as the most qualified senior student. Miss Mary Pimental was chosen as the alternate.

On September 8, thirty students were admitted to the school, an increase of five over the 1948 September enrollment.

The number of hours of bedside nursing care rendered by graduate and student nurses during the year was 69,635 for obstetrical patients, and 1,067,830 for all others. The number of calls filled by the Central Directory for nurses for private duty was 1,029.

The addition of 20 graduate nurses to the staff made it somewhat easier to reduce the work week to a five-day week, effective June 1, 1949.

"I am please to report," wrote Miss Mary E. O'Gara, director of nurses, "that the personnel policies for graduate nurses at the Quincy City Hospital meet all the recommendations of the American Nurses Association, and surpass many of the policies existing in nearby hospitals. These improvements should attract good nurses and thereby improve the quality of nursing service which we give to the members of the community."

## THE LABORATORY DEPARTMENT

The work of the laboratories increased in the number as well as in the variety of analyses. In 1949 a total of 87,585 tests were performed as against 73,282 in 1948.

Dr. O. J. Pollak, pathologist, reported that: "On the whole the department functioned well. Its efficiency was hampered by the following factors: lack of personnel; lack of space and ventilation; lack of equipment; inefficient purchasing."

The department received the highest point rating possible from the American College of Surgeons



A school for medical technologists was approved by the Council on Education and Hospitals of the American Medical Association in February, 1949; and the first 18-month course was started on July 1.

The 1949 gross revenue of the department was \$115,200.

#### X-RAY DEPARTMENT

In 1949 a total of 9,850 examinations were made in the X-Ray department. There were 423 treatments, including three radium treatments.

These figures show an over-all increase of 2.7 percent, exclusive of treatments. The increase in the radiographic examinations alone was 9.8 percent.

#### ANESTHESIAS—1949

Surgery .....	3852
Accident Room .....	637
Out-Patients .....	96
Delivery Room .....	1595
Dental .....	143
Total .....	6323

#### OXYGEN SERVICES—EQUIPMENT USED

Tent .....	298
B. L. B. Mask .....	112
Nasal .....	55
Incubator .....	75
Aerosol .....	30
Total .....	570

#### OUT-PATIENT DEPARTMENT (Established March 14, 1949)

New Patients .....	691
Revisits .....	1658
Total .....	2349

#### OBSTETRICAL STATISTICS FOR 1949

Number of Deliveries .....	1,625
Private .....	1,472
Service .....	153
Single Live .....	1,578
Multiple Live (Twins) .....	13
Premature .....	73
Neonatal Deaths in 48 Hours .....	31
Maternal Deaths .....	2
Stillborn .....	34

## STATISTICAL REPORT

Admissions	1948	1949
Room Patients .....	1,312	1,294
Ward Patients .....	7,219	7,427
Service Patients .....	1,112	1,409
Totals .....	9,643	10,130
Outpatients .....	9,833	11,486
Accidents .....	5,948	6,210
Ambulance Calls .....	1,738	1,712
Newborn .....	1,770	1,637
Operations .....	3,927	4,400
Daily Average Patients .....	248.9	237.8
Total Days Treatment .....	91,119	86,807
Deaths .....	384	366

## EXPENSES AND RECEIPTS

	1948	1949
Salaries and Wages .....	\$ 807,375.84	\$1,054,326.54
Expenses .....	447,232.68	451,314.48
Pensions .....	3,742.35	4,930.58
New Equipment .....	19,458.76	25,373.34
Out of State Travel .....	88.72	000.00
Miscellaneous—Deficit Bills .....	5,300.61	000.00
Improvements .....	000.00	5,765.00
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Cash Receipts .....	\$1,283,198.96	\$1,541,709.94
	865,749.73	894,291.67
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Excess of Expenditures Over Receipts	\$ 417,449.23	\$ 647,418.27

*Public Works Department*

## HIGHWAY DIVISION

The usual work of the Highway Division including street cleaning and repairs, sidewalk repairs, maintenance of equipment and drains, and snow removal was carried on during the year. Street repair work consisted chiefly of routine patching and shaping and resurfacing of utility trenches throughout the city. No street oiling was done during 1949.

Routine repairs were made to the Saville street, Dimmock street and Bates Avenue bridges. The Atlantic bridge, repairs for which were

formerly handled in part by the city, was taken over by the state on January 1. The Warren avenue footbridge was replanked during the year.

City carpenters repaired and repainted city fences wherever such work was necessary. During the year the sign department painted all cross-walks, stop lines, bus stop lines and center lines, as well as stalls for metered parking places and the striping in the municipal parking area. Mechanics in the department made routine checks and repairs to meters. The sign department also handled considerable Christmas lighting and decorating work during the holiday season.

**STREET CONSTRUCTION:** Under the regular street construction program the public works department rebuilt or resurfaced with city labor Clivedon street, Whitney road, Ryden street, Watson terrace, Edison street, a part of Cleverly court, Franklin street, Independence avenue, Jackson street, Kendrick avenue, Quincy avenue, Copeland street, Standish avenue, Newton avenue and Billings street.

New construction was completed on Hamilton avenue, Harrington avenue and Whitman road. Hancock street was resurfaced by city labor from Neponset bridge to Elm avenue.

Under Chapter 90, which provides for joint state, county and city financing of highway work, Washington street was rebuilt from Chubbuck street to James street by A. V. Taurasi company; and the balance of Washington street was resurfaced by A. Capone. The State also, through contract with Bradford Weston, rebuilt Washington street from Chubbuck street to the Fore River bridge.

The city constructed under contract: Beebe road, Bailey street, Bittern road, Turner street, Northfield avenue, Richards street, Guild street, Grogan avenue, Chapman street, Myopia road, Carruth street, Fayette street, Reservoir road, Prospect street, Roberta lane, Bayberry road and Burgess street.

## FORESTRY AND GYPSY MOTH DEPARTMENT

The flower beds, which always attract favorable comment from both visitors and citizens, were planted and maintained during the year. The tulip display was particularly attractive in 1949.

The routine spraying and destroying of gypsy moths and brown-tails was handled by the department.

A major portion of the work of the Forestry Department was devoted to the removal of trees affected by the Dutch Elm disease. Extensive spraying was also carried on in the fight against this blight.

## CURBING AND SIDEWALKS

In addition to the curbing installed during street construction, considerable special curbs were laid in 1949. Curbs installed by the de-

partmental employes were on South street, Alden street, Pembroke street, Brooks avenue, Reardon street, Adams street, Shirley to Robertson; Victoria road, Thornton street, Old Colony avenue, Clement terrace and Elliot avenue.

Bituminous concrete sidewalks were laid on Dimmock street, Hobomack road, Munroe road, Narragansett road, Broadway, Pembroke street, Independence avenue, Alton road, Intervale street, Adams street, Stedman to the Milton line, Adams street, Shirley to Robertson, Cross street, West street, Fenno street, Standish road, Shoreham street, Bloomfield street and West Squantum street.

### MUNICIPAL PARKING AREA

A contract for the construction of the Municipal Parking Area west of Hancock street was let to the Walter Reed corporation. Landscaping was done by the Littlefield-Wyman corporation. Plans and supervision was by the Philcot corporation. The section from Clivedon street to Granite street was completed during the year, and the south section from Hancock court to Clivedon street was partially constructed. The entire project was sufficiently advanced to permit use of the parking area for Christmas shoppers. The project, when finished, will give Quincy the largest municipally-owned metered parking area in the country.

### MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS

The year of 1949 was marked by progress made in the four million dollar school construction program and by the start of work on the half million dollar health center. No extensive repairs were made on existing public buildings because of curtailed appropriations.

Construction of the Squantum School addition was completed by C. R. Burns and Son, providing four extra class rooms and a combination auditorium and gymnasium.

A contract for the four-room addition to the Atherton Hough School was let to Clark and Smith, Inc., of Quincy. Albert West, a Quincy architect, prepared the plans.

James S. Kelliher of Quincy was given the contract for the big health center which is building on Hancock street at the corner of Johnson avenue. M. A. Dyer Company of Boston drew the plans and specifications.

### SEWER DIVISION

During the year 322 connections were made to the common sewer. This brought the number of sanitary sewers in operation up to 16,378 by the end of the year.

A total of 14,766 feet of particular sewers were laid at a cost of \$27,101.79, or an average of \$1.835 a foot. Of the 322 connections

made, 284 were for one-family houses; six for two-family houses; four for three-family houses; 20 for business property; five for churches; and one each for the health center, a house trailer and a 12-family house.

A total of 8,446.51 feet, of 1.60 miles, of common sewer was built in 1949. Of this amount, 6811.84 feet were of eight-inch; 680.57 of 10-inch, and 954 of 12-inch pipe. The department also put in 44 manholes.

The 1949 construction brings the total amount of sewers up to 173.59 miles.

During the year, a total of 3,130.15 feet of storm drains were constructed; 39 catch basins and nine manholes installed. The new construction brings the total amount of storm drains up to 120.5 miles.

## WATER DIVISION

Quincy, a part of the Metropolitan water system, used water in 1949 at the average rate of 6,783,200 gallons a day. Based on an estimated population of 87,000, this is an average consumption of 78 gallons per capita daily.

During the year 5,560 feet of main pipe was laid, bringing the total miles of pipe now in use up to 207.78. In 1949 11,960 feet of new service pipe was laid, bringing the total footage up to 823,354.

Other general figures are: Number of taps made during year, 260; services discontinued, 7; total services in use, 17,892; service leaks repaired, 389; meters installed in 1949, 184; total meters in use, 17,750; per cent of services metered, 99.2; fire hydrants in use, 1,992; hydrants broken during the year by automobiles, 10.

## AVERAGE DAILY WATER CONSUMPTION IN GALLONS, 1949

January .....	6,523,300	July .....	7,853,000
February .....	6,526,800	August .....	7,610,700
March .....	6,467,300	September .....	6,647,700
April .....	6,104,200	October .....	6,483,300
May .....	6,356,500	November .....	6,569,100
June .....	7,750,500	December .....	6,589,700

## DIVISION OF ENGINEERING

Supervision of the Engineering Department was reorganized during 1949. For the first five months of the year the commissioner of public works also acted in the capacity of city engineer. On May 23 the position of superintendent of engineering was created and the department was incorporated in the department of public works under the title of the Division of Engineering.

Under the ordinance, the superintendent of engineering shall be consulted on all matters pertaining to civil engineering in any department of the city. The division consequently works in close cooperation with many other municipal departments. The division furnishes plans for all land takings and street acceptances; furnishes information to the city solicitor on easements; takings and related matters; furnishes descriptions of lands sold for taxes; surveys city owned land to be sold, and prepares the assessors' plans for all parcels of land in the city.

During the year the engineering department described 982 parcels to be sold for taxes; furnished information relative to outstanding betterments on 1,096 parcels; furnished information relative to 2,296 transfers; plotted new construction on 706 plans; furnished grades for 447 new buildings; and made plans for 1.60 miles of sewers, 3,130 feet of drains and 1.035 miles of new streets.

In addition to this routine work, the engineering division furnished preliminary information for the construction of the municipal parking area, which included 21,000 square yards of street work, 4,600 square yards of concrete sidewalks, 10,500 linear feet of curbing and the installation of 533 parking meters. Plans were also prepared for the installation of 142 meters in Wollaston.

*SECTION IV*

**CHARITIES**

DEPARTMENT OF PUBLIC WELFARE

GENERAL RELIEF

AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

CITY PHYSICIAN





## *Department of Public Welfare*

Up until the early thirties when the effects of the depression began to make themselves felt, the Quincy Department of Public Welfare had comparatively little to do other than to operate the city home and to investigate occasional calls for assistance from those in need and to lend a helping hand now and then. Administration of the department was considered as a part-time job and a limited personnel sufficed. e

This state of affairs was changed, almost over night, when the depression struck hard and swiftly and thousands of self-respecting hard-working citizens found themselves and their families, through no fault of their own, in need of food and clothing and shelter. The department expanded in importance, in functions, in personnel, with a mushroom growth.

The coming of World War II ended the depression, but meanwhile the New Deal had brought into being a new social philosophy which, in turn, sponsored legislative programs at various levels effecting constantly increasing social benefits. The end is apparently not in sight yet; and that means that, good times or bad, the municipal welfare department will continue to be one of the heaviest money spending divisions of the city government in the foreseeable future.

The department is divided into various chief divisions, Old Age Assistance, General Relief and Aid to Dependent Children. It also includes the operation of the city home and the professional services of the city physician.

### OLD AGE ASSISTANCE

The Old Age Assistance Division had an active case load of 1,292 at the beginning of the year and 1,340 at the end of the year, with monthly expenditures climbing from \$79,324.10 in January to \$91,613.66 in December. A major portion of the increase was occasioned by a change in the Old Age Assistance law which provided for a four dollar monthly increase for "Leisure Time activities."

Other changes affecting the old age program during the year were: an increase from \$500 to \$1,000 in the surrender value of life insurance which a recipient might retain; an increase from \$300 to \$500 in a recipient's bank deposits; and an increase in the reimbursable per diem hospital rates from \$8 to \$10.

Expenditures of the division for Old Age Assistance during the year were \$1,010,472.56. The deficit cost to the city, however, was only \$180,524.43 after deductions had been made for \$431,208.93 in federal grants, \$376,185.29 in state receipts and about \$22,000 in receipts from individuals, cities and towns. Administration of the department came to \$48,553.63, of which \$25,384.15 was the city's share.

## GENERAL RELIEF DIVISION

The General Relief Division during 1949 handled 942 new or reopened cases. Some 411 referrals from other cities and towns and from hospitals were received, of which 249 were accepted and 162 denied.

Costs for the year came to \$213,892.47, of which \$160,596.87 was in cash; \$3,656.55 for rent; \$4,550 for groceries; \$8,398.91 for medicine and medical care; \$15,361.38 to other cities and towns; \$3,828.57 for board and care; and \$13,738.32 for hospitalization.

The city appropriated \$214,000 for general relief; \$31,373.90 for salaries and approximately \$5,000 for expenses. The city received \$44,204.01 in cash receipts, including \$12,965.62 from other municipalities and \$28,136.81 from the state.

## AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN

In 1949 the cost of operating the Aid to Dependent Children Division was \$197,586.55. Receipts from the federal and state governments came to \$104,648.38, leaving the net cost to the city of \$92,938.17.

The case load jumped from 120 on the first day of the year to 146 on the last day of the year. The increases came from transfers from other cities and towns and the sickness or death of the family's principal wage earner.

## THE CITY HOME

The City Home is operated by the Department of Public Welfare to accommodate persons who cannot adjust themselves to living elsewhere. The Home was filled to capacity throughout the year on many occasions; and it served as a haven for five evicted families for short or longer periods during 1949. At times it sheltered persons made temporarily homeless by fire, flood, windstorms and other causes.

During the summer the inmates again raised a splendid garden in which they produced fresh vegetables for their own consumption.

**Welfare Comm.** Anthony J. Venna and Supt. J. Gerard White recommended the installation of a sprinkler system, a new roof, outside painting, a new central heating plant and the construction of a recreation house for male inmates.

Expenses came to \$9,315.96 and salaries to \$7,327.00.

#### CITY PHYSICIAN

Dr. William R. Helfrich again served as City Physician in 1949. During the year he reported 362 calls, of which 348 were house calls and 16 calls were made at the instance of the Police Department.



*SECTION V*  
DEPARTMENT OF  
VETERANS' SERVICE



## *Department of Ueteran's Services*

Veterans of World Wars I and II in Quincy number between 16,000 and 17,000, Captain Edmund F. Genereau, director of the Department of Veterans' Services estimates. These veterans together with their parents, wives, widows and minor children who are eligible for assistance from this department reach a potential total of around 60,000 or about two-thirds of the city's total population.

During 1949 the department received 13,091 requests for various types of assistance from veterans and their dependents.

During the twelve months 1,483 cases, involving 6,251 persons, were assisted for food, clothing, rent, dental and medical care at a cost of \$102,137.51. This expenditure would have been materially higher had not over \$63,000 been saved by processing applications for pension or compensation from the federal government for those eligible. Also full advantage was taken of the resources of the state employment bureau and the bureau of social security, a federal agency.

In his annual report, Captain Genereau points out:

"Costs of the veterans' benefits program could be reduced if a free psychiatric clinic was established by the city. The Veterans' Administration will offer psychiatric care only to those whose condition can be established as 'service connected,' a service at best not too satisfactory due to overcrowded schedules and the waiting period for treatment involved.

"Many veterans, displaying no evidence of mental disturbance upon discharge, have often, due to money worries, unemployment and domestic difficulties, become so distraught they are unable to maintain their proper place in society and require skilled psychiatric care. The underlying cause, no doubt, is their war service but nothing of a tangible nature can be discovered to demand Government care.

"The clinical expense involved would be slight in comparison with the cost of maintaining the veteran and his family for lengthy periods of time due to inability to work because of mental instability. Our case histories easily prove the truth of this statement."

In urging serious consideration of the veteran's problem, Captain Genereau writes:

"We again urge the formation of a city sponsored organization with the sole purpose of attracting new industry into our city. An organization active, vigorous and vigilant, provided with sufficient funds could net a tremendous return, reduce assistance costs and be of immense moral value.

"This year Quincy will spend, exclusive of Old Age Assistance, between a quarter and a half million dollars solely to maintain indi-

viduals and families who are unable to obtain employment. Abundant employment could not only reduce this burden but would pour new life blood into our city.

"There are broad and most unfortunate social implications in the fact that such a large segment of our population needs assistance in supposedly such prosperous years.

"Unless public and private official consciousness is awakened to the magnitude of the problem it is not unreasonable to forecast dangerous developments.

"We must recognize the nature and scope of the problem and develop an organization equipped with the funds and personnel to cope with it."

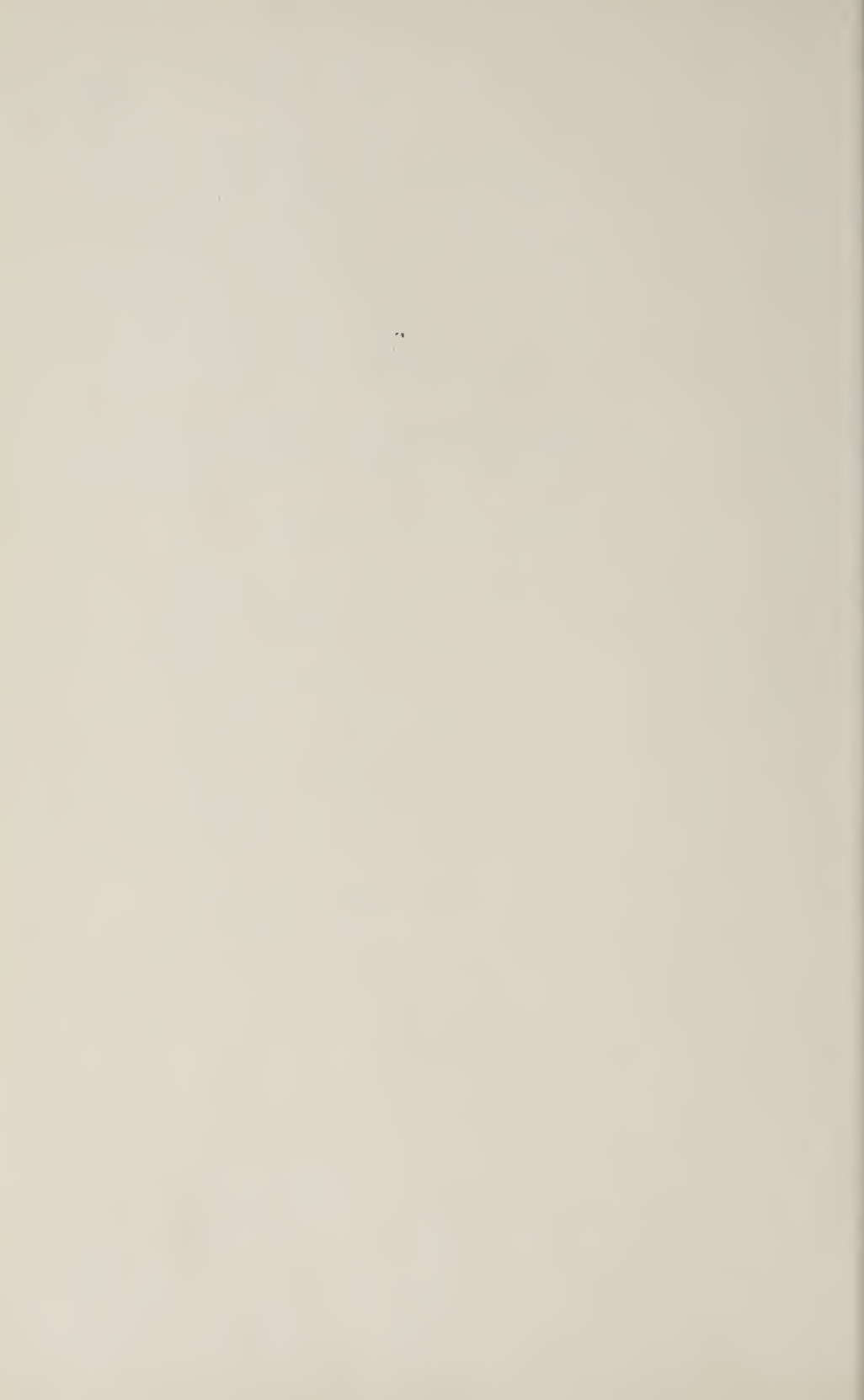
#### REHABILITATION REQUESTS—1949

Allotments .....	19
American Red Cross .....	22
Burial—Death Benefits .....	29
Civil Service .....	433
Compensation .....	308
Copies of Discharge .....	3,875
Education .....	560
Employment .....	346
Government Subsistence .....	402
Insurance .....	653
Insurance Dividends .....	3,846
Legal Advice .....	385
Medical, Dental, Hospitalization .....	372
Pension .....	132
Reemployment, Labor Rights .....	216
Repatriation .....	12
U. S. Employment Service .....	1,481
Total .....	<hr/> 13,091



**SECTION VI**

RECREATION COMMISSION  
PARK DEPARTMENT



## *Recreation Commission*

The Quincy Recreation Commission, created in June, 1948, completed its first full year in 1949. The functions of the commission are to organize and supervise a public recreation program for the city. In carrying out these functions it works in close cooperation and harmony with the Park Commission and the School Department.

The Board of Commissioners in 1949 included J. Ernest Collins, chairman; William J. Mitchell and Kenneth P. Fallon, Jr., who were also on the Park Board; Katherine G. McCoy, secretary; Alexander Smith, also a member of the School Committee; John Morley and Gilbert L. Crofts. William Bowyer served as general recreation supervisor. Members of the commission serve without pay.

During the year the commission employed 99 part time workers. Under its supervision 15 playgrounds were operated with leadership the year round and 24 for summers only; with an average daily attendance of 2,225 running up to an accumulated season of 80,776. The commission supervised five recreation buildings and 17 indoor recreation centers under leadership.

Total recreation attendance figures included the following: recreation centers, 27 weeks, 36,462; playgrounds, eight weeks, 80,776; girls softball, 2,331; senior softball, 2,784; little baseball, 2,752; basketball, 8,264; tennis, 560; track and field, 2,520; arts and crafts, 20,760; organized activities, 104,200; music, 2,960; dramatics, 4,624; dancing, 4,688; club groups, 4,108; bathing beaches (eight weeks) instructed classes, 4,727; season's accumulated total, 117,238.

Recreational facilities included 10 regulation diamonds, four bathing beaches under supervision, eight softball diamonds, 24 tennis courts, two athletic fields for track and field events, one bowling green, six skating rinks, two picnic areas, two stadiums and one outdoor theater.

Total expenses for the year were \$45,294.29, of which \$15,429.75 was for capital outlay, \$25,644.05 for leadership salaries and wages, and \$4,220.49 for supplies and incidentals.

Arts and Crafts included leatherwork, metalwork, needlecraft, woodwork, papercraft, jewelry, novelties and salvage. Outing activities included hiking, nature work, picnicking, cookouts and education studies. Water sports took in safety, pageants, novelty meets and life saving. Sports embraced baseball, basketball, boxing, tennis, volleyball, badminton, football, horseshoes, soccer, softball, golf and track and field events.

## *Park Department*

With the responsibility of supervising recreational activities conducted on municipal playgrounds now shouldered by the new recreation commission organized last year, the work of the Park Department in 1949 was devoted chiefly to the maintenance of city property used for playground purposes.

This work was conducted by the unpaid Park Board which includes Chairman J. Ernest Collins, Vice Chairman William J. Mitchell and Secretary Kenneth P. Fallon, Jr. The board held regular weekly meetings each Monday evening at the City Hall.

During the year, aside from its routine maintenance operations, the Park Board erected a structure at the Municipal Stadium for housing the public address systems; rebuilt the Fore River and Montclair baseball fields and reroofed the Fore River clubhouse.

Additional improvements included the erection of chain link fences at the Columbia, Kincaide and Montclair playgrounds; and the erection of wire fences at the O'Rourke and Fore River fields, and the construction of a concrete wall at North Stadium.

The maintenance work under Foreman Harry Boyd and a skilled personnel covered grading, seeding carpentry, landscaping, masonry, construction and forestry.

*SECTION VII*

PUBLIC LIBRARY  
SCHOOLS



## *Thomas Crane Public Library*

Fears that the printed word was destined to be shunted back into secondary importance by the fast growing popularity of television were not fulfilled in 1949. Although television aerals were to be seen on thousands of Quincy rooftops by the end of the year, Galen W.

Hill, the librarian of the Thomas Crane Public Library, found that "no adverse effects are yet apparent."

"The question had a familiar ring," Mr. Hill pointed out in his annual report, "for similar fears were aroused on the introduction of movies and radio. My feeling is that such new devices capable of providing both entertainment and education seem to supplement rather than displace reading."

In 1949 the library loaned for home use 545,432 books and periodicals, 17,129 phonograph records and 8,861 mounted pictures, a total of 572,422 items. This total is the highest since 1941, the year before the last war. The gain over 1948 in books and magazines was 51,856, better than ten percent; in phonograph records, 139; and in pictures, 3,306. The per capita circulation was 6.97, which compares favorably with other libraries in this population range, but is still short of what the library officials would like it to be.

The per capita registered borrower is 26.6, which is rated as good.

Two interesting points were revealed by an analysis of the circulation figures: one, the decided increase in children's loans; and, two, the steady increase in the percentage of non-fiction borrowed each year as against a similar decline in fiction.

From 30 percent of the total adult circulation ten years ago, non-fiction rose in 1949 to 37 percent over the whole library system, while at the main library it was 49 percent. In both November and December of 1949, something of a phenomenon for a popular library occurred, for more non-fiction than fiction was borrowed.

In 1949 the library acquired, principally through purchase, 9,361 books. Withdrawals number 5,909, leaving a net gain of 3,452. At the end of the year the total book stock was 143,863 volumes. The register of borrowers showed 21,544 active cards on December 31, 1949, a drop of 252 from the 1948 figure.

In the children's department the downward trend in the circulation of children's books which characterized the war years seemed to reach a turning point in 1949, with the war babies crowding the school rooms now turning to the library. There was an increase of 728 names in the juvenile registrations; and a gain in circulation of 25,364 books over 1948. A gain in circulation of 970 showed in the high school, or teen-age, books.

In September, 1949, the new music room was opened to the public on a full-time, 9 A. M. to 9 P. M., schedule. At the end of the year there were 4,352 records available; and a new high of 17,129 records had been circulated. November brought the installation of two custom-built phonographs to replace two ten-year-old machines.

In the picture department were 22,000 pictures; and the circulation of 9,861 represents a gain of 50 percent in one year.

Mr. Hill, in his annual report, pointed out that the branch libraries, which have only 42 percent of the book stock, deliver 68 percent of the circulation. He paid tribute to the work of the branch librarians who have to handle all phases of library work alone.

In the service maintained at the Quincy Hospital by the Thomas Crane Public Library, there was a circulation of 15,536 books during the year. This is about the average for recent years, but somewhat under the 20,000 circulation reached some time back before the patient turn-over was accelerated and the convalescent periods were shortened at the hospital.

In March, 1949, the hospital suffered a loss in the death of Vincent J. Readdy, a member of the board of trustees for 12 years and the treasurer for seven years. L. Paul Marini was appointed to the vacancy on the board created by his death; and Miss Clara E. Thompson was elected treasurer.



## *The Quincy School Department*

The Quincy School Department in 1949 operated an enterprise involving 25 buildings, 588 full time employes and 68 part time teachers to provide education for the 11,800 pupils in elementary and secondary schools and the 2,500 adults in the evening classes. This operation required \$2,399,945.84, including appropriations from the Smith-Hughes and George Barden funds. These expenditures in the annual budget do not include appropriations for bond retirement and interest payments on school construction loans. School bonds outstanding on the last day of the year totalled \$435,000.

Dr. Paul Gossard, superintendent of schools, pointing out in his annual report the necessity for proceeding with the proposed new construction program, estimated that the present enrollment of 6,700 elementary pupils would increase to 9,500 in 1957, and that the present enrollment of 4,900 secondary students would increase to 8,000 in 1963.

### REPORT OF THE SCHOOL COMMITTEE

"The greatest single problem facing this city is provision for new school buildings to house an estimated 3,000 new pupils in the next six to eight years," is the way the school board presented the picture



in its annual report prepared by Raymond C. Warrington and Carter Lee. "Your committee have been aware of this problem for several years and have engaged expert advice to solve it. We have laid our plans before the mayor and council in public meeting and private conference. Our plans include an addition to the Wollaston school, a new elementary school in the Beechwood Knoll area, a new elementary school at the Germantown Veterans' project and a new elementary school on Whitwell street and Carroll' Lane to serve that rapidly developing area near Furnace Brook Parkway. Our plans also include the replacng of the Central Junior High School and the enlargement of the Trade School.

"All this will cost money and will take time. Yet it is urgently needed and so far has proceeded at a snail's pace. The School Committee and the city government will need the support and good will of every thoughtful citizen in pushing to completion an economical yet efficient building program, which will provide adequate and healthful surroundings for all our youngsters during the very important part of their lives which is spent in school.

"In numberless minor ways our schools are demonstrating their vitality. The Squantum School addition, completed last year, is a mecca for visitors as an example of functional school architecture; our guidance program is rated among the best in this section of the country; we inaugurated a professional conference plan for teachers this year with excellent results; our special classes for the physically handicapped are at a high standard; with the cooperation of the Parent Teacher Council and the Quincy Health Department, every fifth grade child will be able to have his teeth cleaned and treated four times with sodium fluoride this winter."

The cost of Quincy schools in 1949 was about \$300,000 over 1948; due, to a large extent to the \$300 raise in teachers' salaries voted in 1948 but becoming fully effective this year. The regular teaching staff was increased by 23 new teachers, and the enrollment of pupils increased 213. The addition of the new teachers allowed for a slight decrease in the size of classes.

The expenses of \$346,849 and the new equipment item of \$37,853 in 1949 ran considerably above the meager amounts spent for these purposes during the war and the depression years; and these comparatively high costs are, in a large part, the results of the earlier retrenchments.

Quincy's per pupil cost in 1949 was estimated at \$185.96 by the school committee, or \$10 per pupil below the median of the 39 cities in Massachusetts.

The Washington School, closed since 1942 because of decreased enrollment, was reopened in September, 1949.

Work on the four-room addition to the Atherton Hough School progressed satisfactorily, and it was expected that these rooms would be ready for occupancy shortly after the first of the year.

During the year of 1949, the school department lost three long-time members of the faculty by death. They were W. Scott Austin, principal 1924-1949; Alice M. Igo, teacher 1909-1949; and Hazel S. Loring, teacher 1916-1949.

Mrs. Helen E. Spencer, member of the school committee, died on January 9, 1949, after four years of service on the board.

**Attendance Data of the Regular Day Schools for the  
Year Ending June 24, 1949**

SCHOOL	Number of Boys	Number of Girls	Number of Different Pupils Enrolled Exclusive of re-enrollments in the City	Average Membership	Average Daily Attendance	Per cent of Attendance
Quincy High .....	670	818	1488	1424	1320	92.6
North Quincy High .....	885	876	1761	1710	1611	94.2
Central Junior High .....	409	378	787	738	680	92.1
Quincy Point Junior High .	199	230	429	414	386	93.2
Class for Older Boys .....	29	...	29	31	26	83.8
South Junior High .....	299	298	597	569	535	94.0
Adams .....	190	167	357	336	309	91.9
Atherton Hough .....	357	289	646	601	553	92.0
Coddington .....	119	124	243	231	212	91.7
Cranch .....	122	126	248	242	223	92.1
Daniel Webster .....	198	163	361	344	317	92.1
Francis W. Parker .....	297	242	540	509	474	93.1
Gridley Bryant .....	102	97	199	189	174	92.0
John Hancock .....	113	93	206	198	185	93.4
Lincoln .....	155	140	295	284	262	92.2
Massachusetts Fields .....	360	309	669	628	579	92.1
Merrymount .....	120	116	236	227	211	92.9
Montclair .....	246	286	532	503	469	93.2
Nathaniel S. Hunting .....	138	119	257	249	231	92.7
Quincy .....	233	252	485	451	417	92.4
Squantum .....	145	136	281	270	250	92.5
Thomas B. Pollard .....	252	199	451	425	392	92.2
Willard .....	161	168	328	311	287	92.2
Wollaston .....	253	261	514	484	450	92.9
Physically Handicapped Class	9	9	18	17	15	88.2
Sight Conservation Class ..	7	7	14	14	13	92.8
Totals .....	6,068	5,903	11,971	11,399	10,581	92.8
Trade School .....	234	...	234	195	177	90.7

**SUMMARY OF DATA ON POPULATION,  
SCHOOL BUILDINGS, AND EMPLOYEES**

Population of the City (U. S. Census of 1940) .....	75,810
Number of school buildings: Quincy High <sup>1</sup> , 1; North Quincy High <sup>2</sup> , 1; Junior High Schools, 3; Elementary, 19; Annex <sup>3</sup> , 1; total .....	1 2 3 25
Teachers in Quincy High School: men, 21, women, 37; total .....	58
Teachers in North Quincy High School: men, 26; women, 47; .....	73
Teachers in Junior High Schools: men, 20; women, 60; total .....	80
Teachers in Elementary Schools: men, 4; women, 223; total .....	227
Principals: Quincy High School, men, 1; (Asst. Principal), 1; North Quincy High School, 1; (Asst. Principals), 2; Junior High Schools, men, 3; Elementary Schools, men, 8 <sup>4</sup> ; women, 2; total .....	4 18
Directors: Art, 1; Health Education, 1; Music, 2; Teaching Aids, 1; total .....	5
Special teachers: drawing, 1; health instructors, 2; librarians, <sup>5</sup> lip reading, <sup>5</sup> 1; opportunity classes, 5; physical education, 2; physically handicapped children, 2; sight conservation, 1; total .....	5 19
Trade School: men, principal, 1; teachers, 15, total .....	16
Evening Academic School: principal, 1; teachers, men, 5; women, 8; total .....	6 14
Adult Civic Education; principal, 1; teachers, women, 5; total .....	7 6
Evening Practical Arts: principal, 1; teachers, men 3; women, 23; total .....	8 27
Evening Trade Extension: principal, 1; teachers, men, 8; total .....	9 9
Evening Apprenticeship: principal, 1; teachers, men, 11; total .....	10 12
Total number of different teachers .....	538
Superintendent of Schools, 1; Asst. Superintendents, 2; Director of Guidance and Research, 1; Principal Clerk and Secretary to Superintendent, 1; Principal Clerks, 3; Junior Clerks, 4; total .....	12
Clerks Quincy High School, 2; North Quincy High School, 2; Junior High Schools, 3; Trade School, 1; Elementary, 1; total .....	9
Coordinate and Auxiliary Agencies:	
Supervisor of Attendance, 1; Adjustment Service, 2; Custodial and Maintenance Departments:	9
Supervisor of Custodians, 1; Senior Building Custodians, 14; Junior Building Custodians, 32; Cleaners, 11; Carpenters, 2; Construction Handyman, 1; Painters, 4; total .....	65
Total number of different persons employed by the School Department .....	633

<sup>1</sup> Trade School located in Quincy High School Building.

<sup>2</sup> Six-year high school.

<sup>3</sup> Used as offices for directors and storage space.

<sup>4</sup> One included in junior high schools.

<sup>5</sup> One is also teacher of physically handicapped children.

<sup>6</sup> Nine included in regular day schools.

<sup>7</sup> Four included in regular day schools.

<sup>8</sup> Two included in regular day schools.

<sup>9</sup> Six included in regular day schools.

<sup>10</sup> Three included in regular day schools.

**SECTION VIII**

RETIREMENT BOARD  
HOUSING AUTHORITY  
FIRST P R ELECTION



## *Retirement Board*

The Quincy Retirement Board, which supervises the operation of the various pension systems under which municipal employes are retired on pensions, is composed of three unpaid members with a regular city employee serving as secretary.

Of the three members, one is the city auditor by virtue of his office, one is elected by the city employes and one is appointed by the mayor. The board in 1940 included Chairman George H. Bon-sall, City Auditor Leo E. Mullin and Patrolman John F. Denneen, elected by employes; with Mrs. Helen M. Ottaviani as the permanent secretary.

The board administers the two retirement systems in operation for city employes.

### THE FOUR PERCENT SYSTEM

The so-called four percent system, under which employes contribute that proportion of their earnings toward their ultimate pensioning, was established in 1935. Its total membership increased during the year from 197 to 212; with the number of retired members decreasing from 25 to 24. At the end of the year total assets were \$155,113.69, of which there was \$147,409.24 in investments, \$1,495.45 in accrued interest and \$6,209 in cash. During the year pension payments came to \$16,165.03.

### THE FIVE PERCENT SYSTEM

The so-called five percent system was established in 1946. The active membership increased from 886 on Dec. 31, 1948 to 1,022 on Dec. 1, 1949. The balance sheet as of the last day of the year showed investments of \$670,482.94; savings bank deposits of \$35,000; cash of \$8,098.90; accrued interest of \$4,719.56; for a total of \$718,301.40.

Payments made during the year included: deaths, \$3,646.22; regular pensions, \$2,363.27; ordinary and accidental disability, \$4,211.01.



## *Quincy Housing Authority*

The year 1949 was an historic one for Quincy, for it marked the beginning of the city's greatest residential development, the so-called Snug Harbor Housing project.

Early in the year the Quincy Housing Authority purchased the old Snug Harbor Sailors' Home property in Germantown, let contracts and started the construction of 400 single family dwelling units to house veterans. Under state laws the Quincy Housing Authority was authorized to issue bonds, secured by state credit, to finance the development.

The architect plans, prepared by Edward J. Shields, called for the construction of 100 four-family apartment buildings.

Bids were opened on October 26. The total bids of the several lowest contractors, corrected by a reassignment of sub-contractors' bids, came to slightly more than three and a half million dollars. The estimate for the construction of roads and utilities brought the total construction costs up to approximately three and three-quarter million dollars. The cost of the land was \$162,000.

Ground was broken on Nov. 15 with brief ceremonies in which Mayor Charles A. Ross, Chairman Frederick W. Roche of the State Housing Board and Chairman Louis A. George of the Quincy Housing Authority participated. Construction started shortly thereafter.

Under the agreement covering the construction and operation of this gigantic real estate development, the several million dollars worth of property is exempted from city taxation, but the Quincy Housing Authority is to pay the city a small percentage of the rentals in lieu of taxes. Estimates indicate that the rentals to the veterans will be about one half of rentals brought by similar dwelling units financed by private capital.

While the Quincy Housing Authority was starting the Snug Harbor project during 1949, it was also busy operating the 36-family veterans' housing development known as Westacres and the 144 temporary units at Cleverly court and Pond street.

The Quincy Housing Authority is a non-paid board having jurisdiction over all subsidized housing in the city. One member is named by the state and the other four by the mayor. Members are Chairman Louis A. George, Rev. Victor V. Sawyer, J. Gerard White and Laurence S. Foley. The executive secretary is Frank C. Hendry.



### *Quincy's First P R Election*

Preparatory to the replacement of the old Plan A form of municipal government by the council-manager, or Plan E, form in 1950, Quincy held its first proportional representation—P R—election on Nov. 8, 1949. There were 59 candidates for the seven seats in the city council and 15 candidates for the six seats on the school committee.

Of 44,257 registered voters, 29,349 cast ballots for the council and 29,352, or 66 percent, for the school committee. It took a week to count the votes, with about 130 counters working at the task. The city hired Councilor Joseph A. DeGuglielmo of Cambridge, a recognized expert on P R voting, to assist Mrs. Hattiemay Thomas, city clerk, in supervising the counting.

Thomas S. Burgin, a former mayor, former councilor and former representative, topped the candidates for the council, getting 5,934



first choice ballots. He was the only council candidate to make the quota, 3,612, on first choice ballots. Other candidates were elected in the following order, Mrs. Edna B. Austin, Amelio Della Chiesa, Alfred G. Helfrich, Carl W. Anderson, Frank N. Orcutt and David J. Crowley. The election brought only one new face to the council, that of Mr. Helfrich.

Dominic J. Chiminello topped the list of school committee candidates with 4,966 first choice votes. He was the only school committee candidate to make the quota, 4,061, on the first count. Others elected were William A. Anderson, Dennis F. Ryan, A. Wendell Clark, Alexander Smith and Mrs. Annie B. Forsyth.

It required 48 counts to complete the redistribution of the ballots for the council candidates and 11 counts for the school board candidates

Under the council-manager form of government effective on January 1, 1950, seven councilors-at-large are elected. They elect a mayor from among themselves, and he becomes by virtue of his office the chairman of the school committee.

The council, under Plan E, elects a city manager who becomes the administrative head of the municipal government.



*SECTION IX*

**FINANCIAL**

AUDITOR

TREASURER

COLLECTOR

ASSESSORS

**RETIREMENT**



# City Treasurer

## TREASURER'S STATEMENT

### RECEIPTS

Cash on Hand January 1, 1949 .....	\$1,082,822.04
<b>General Revenue</b>	
Taxes 1949 .....	5,627,735.33
Taxes Previous Years .....	295,795.34
Taxes — Motor Excise .....	350,507.71
Tax Title Held by City—Redeemed .....	21,688.35
Licenses .....	90,841.83
Permits .....	3,625.00
Court Fines .....	3,535.46
Grants and Gifts (Dog Licenses) .....	5,096.83
State of Massachusetts .....	1,557,593.21
<b>Special Assessments</b>	
Sewer Assessments .....	8,477.46
Sidewalks .....	95.70
Street Betterment .....	32,714.62
<b>General Government</b>	
Tax Collector and Treasurer—Costs .....	4,014.51
City Clerk .....	9,936.90
Police Dept. ....	559.73
Fire Dept. ....	294.01
Sealer Weights and Measures .....	1,625.90
Building Inspector .....	11,981.50
Engineering .....	179.29
Wire Inspector .....	4,306.50
Gypsy Moth .....	377.50
Board of Health—Con. Diseases .....	1,253.50
Con. Dis. T. B. ....	1,074.00
Plumbing Inspector ..	4,074.00
Milk Licenses .....	218.00
Scavenger ..	978.00
Garbage Disposal .....	11,540.00
Highways ..	4,238.75
Welfare Dept. ....	101,075.29
Welfare—Old Age Assistance ..	392,738.62
O.A.A. Fed. Grant .....	450,307.92
Dependent Children Fed. Grant ..	51,286.80
Veterans Benefits .....	70,703.88
Hospital Dept. ....	894,291.67
School Dept. ....	10,444.31
Trade School Receipts .....	563.82
School Accts. Rec. ....	11,577.40
Smith Hughes and Deen Funds .....	4,299.46
Library Fines, etc. ....	5,338.20
Particular Sewer Receipts (Treas.) ..	27,025.31
Miscellaneous City .....	20,058.22
Departmental Refund Account ..	19,826.59
Sale of Tax Possessions .....	6,435.00
Income from Tax Possessed Property ..	516.00
<b>Public Services</b>	
Water Rates 1949 .....	386,221.34
Water Rates prior ..	6,419.02
Water Liens—Tax Collector .....	2,392.45
Water Service Connections .....	31,732.08
Cemetery .....	47,248.05

**Interest**

Tax Collector—Taxes and Assessments .....	12,706.51
City Treasurer—On Tax Titles .....	2,728.14
Perpetual Care Fund .....	11,649.57
Other Trust Accounts .....	25,198.87
Accrued Interest on Bonds .....	1,754.51
Premium on Bond Sale .....	6,466.00

**Municipal Indebtedness**

Temporary Loans 1949 .....	2,500,000.00
Water Loans .....	
General Loans .....	950,000.00

**Agency, Trust & Deposits**

City Clerk—Dog Licenses (County) .....	6,302.40
Hunters' Licenses (State) .....	4,187.75
Perpetual Care Fund .....	24,910.00
Other Trust Funds .....	20,581.77
Deposits—Scavenger .....	1,248.00
Particular Sewer .....	25 050.00
Water .....	6,525.00
Tax Possessed Property .....	605.00
Retirement System .....	122,604.51
Withholding Tax .....	458,441.05
Parking Meters .....	37,978.34
Westacres Surplus .....	1,415.58
Quincy Housing Authority .....	2,160.00
Rebuilding Washington St., Chapter 90 .....	88,046.96
Q. H. A. in lieu taxes .....	7,084.87
Post War Rehabilitation .....	125,000.00
TOTAL .....	\$16,120,327.20

**Payments**

Paid out on Mayor's Warrants 1949 .....	14,665,483.86
Cash on Hand .....	1,454,843.34
TOTAL .....	16,120,327.20
Cash on Hand Jan. 1, 1949 .....	1,082,822.04
Cash Receipts 1949 .....	15,037,505.16
Cash Payments 1949 .....	14,665,483.86
Cash on Hand Dec. 31, 1949 .....	1,454,843.34

MILDED L. TYLER, Treasurer

**ROCK ISLAND FUND**

FUND—Quincy Savings Bank .....		\$1,000.00
Unexpended Income January 1, 1949 .....	\$184.37	
Interest receipts 1949 .....	20.10	
	<hr/>	204.17
Expended by School Dept. ....	61.00	
	<hr/>	143.17
Balance on hand December 31, 1949 .....	\$143.17	

**C. C. JOHNSON TURKEY FUND**

FUND—Quincy Savings Bank .....		\$2,000.00
Interest receipts—1949 .....	\$40.20	
Credited to Welfare Department .....	40.20	
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**CHARLES E. FRENCH FUND**

FUND—Quincy Savings Bank .....		\$3,000.00
Interest receipts 1949 .....	\$60.30	
Credited to Burial Department .....	60.30	
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GEORGE PIERCE FUND—PERPETUAL CARE FUND LOT #252  
 FUND—Quincy Savings Bank ..... \$200.00  
 Unexpended Income January 1, 1949 ..... \$28.71  
 Interest receipts 1949 ..... 4.02

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 32.73  
 Expended 1949 ..... 4.00  
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 Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 ..... 28.73

C. C. JOHNSON FUND—PERPETUAL CARE FUND LOT 945  
 FUND—Quincy Savings Bank ..... \$150.00  
 Interest receipts 1949 ..... \$3.01  
 Credited to Burial Department ..... 3.01

MARY WILLSON TUCKER FUND—PERPETUAL CARE LOT 679  
 FUND—Quincy Savings Bank ..... \$400.00  
 Unexpended income, January 1, 1949 ..... \$150.51  
 Interest receipts 1949 .. 8.04

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 158.95  
 Expended 1949 .. 8.00  
 .....  
 Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 ..... 150.95

WILLIAM S. WILLIAMS PERPETUAL CARE LOT 848  
 Fund—Quincy Savings Bank ..... \$400.00  
 Unexpended income, January 1, 1949 ..... \$153.10  
 Interest receipts 1949 ..... 8.04

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 161.14  
 Expended 1949 ..... 8.00  
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 Balance on hand December 31, 1949 ..... \$153.14

ALFRED A. DELL— FLOWER FUND LOT 896-898  
 FUND—Quincy Savings Bank ..... \$200.00  
 Unexpended income, January 1, 1949 ..... \$9.09  
 Interest receipts 1949 ..... 4.02

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 13.11  
 Expended 1949 .. 4.00  
 .....  
 Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 ..... \$9.11

MINNIE B. BENT—FLOWER FUND LOT 744  
 FUND—Quincy Savings Bank ..... \$250.00  
 Unexpended income, January 1, 1949 ..... 15.46  
 Interest receipts, 1949 ..... 5.02

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 20.48  
 Expended 1949 ..... 5.00  
 .....  
 Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 ..... \$15.48

ABRAHAM RICH—FLOWER FUND LOT 548  
 FUND—Quincy Savings Bank ..... \$176.00  
 Unexpended Income, January 1, 1949 ..... \$9.09  
 Interest receipts 1949 ..... 3.53

	12.62	
Expended 1949 .....	3.00	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 .....	\$9.62	
ELLA E. BADGER FUND—PERPETUAL CARE LOT 173B		
FUND—Quincy Savings Bank .....		\$700.00
Interest receipts 1949 .....	\$14.07	
Expended 1949 .....	5.00	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 .....	\$9.07	
MABEL S. BAXTER—FLOWER FUND LOT 16		
FUND—Quincy Savings Bank .....		\$500.00
Interest receipts 1949 .....	\$4.17	
Expended 1949 .....	4.00	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 .....	\$ .17	
WILLIAM HENRY SAMPSON—FLOWER FUND LOTS 997 & 999		
FUND—Quincy Savings Bank September 21, 1949 .....		\$200.00
ALEXANDER NUGENT—PERPETUAL CARE FUND		
FUND—Quincy Savings Bank .....		\$125.00
Interest receipts 1949 .....	\$2.51	
Paid Trustees St. Mary's Cemetery .....	2.51	
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HOSPITAL TRUST FUNDS		
FUNDS—Quincy Savings Bank .....		\$9,453.25
Also 24 shares Walker-Stetson Co. common stock (Capital) Class A (Par value \$50 each)		
Unexpended income, January 1, 1949 .....	\$11,370.76	
Interest receipts 1949 .....	370.00	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 ..	\$11,740.76	
HOSPITAL TRUST—D. L. JEWELL FUND		
FUND—Quincy Savings Bank .....		\$5,000.00
Unexpended income, January 1, 1949 .....	\$2,880.76	
Interest receipts 1949 .....	100.50	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 .....	\$2,981.26	
HOSPITAL TRUST FUND—SPECIAL		
FUND—Quincy Savings Bank (Children's Ward) .....		\$319.35
Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 .....	\$319.35	
HOSPITAL TRUST—MARY PARKER FUND		
FUND—Quincy Savings Bank .....		\$5,000.00
Unexpended income, January 1, 1949 .....	\$1,030.71	
Interest receipts 1949 .....	100.50	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 ..	\$1,131.21	
HOSPITAL TRUST—RICHARD E. RAYCROFT FUND		
FUND—Quincy Savings Bank .....		\$891.74
Fund January 1, 1949 .....	\$968.47	
Expended 1949 .....	76.73	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949 .....	\$891.74	



## HOSPITAL FUND—ISABELLA MOIR FUND

FUND		\$52.35
Fund January 1, 1949	\$57.75	
Expended 1949	5.40	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949		\$52.35

## HOSPITAL TRUST—CANCER FUND

FUND		\$112.13
Fund January 1, 1949	\$67.13	
From American Cancer Society	250.00	
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	\$317.13	
Expended 1949	205.00	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949		\$112.13

## HOSPITAL TRUST—RESEARCH FUND A.M.A.

FUND		\$136.75
Fund January 1, 1949	\$349.15	
Expended 1949	212.40	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949		\$136.75

## HOSPITAL TRUST—RESEARCH PROJECT 1425

FUND		\$3,945.04
Fund January 1, 1949	\$3,285.15	
Interest receipts	31.64	
From U. S. Government	4,987.47	
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	\$8,304.26	
Expended 1949	4,359.22	
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Balance on hand, December 31, 1949		\$3,945.04

## PERPETUAL CARE FUND

Cash on hand, January 1, 1949		\$1,224.67
RECEIPTS		
Perpetual care of lots	\$24,910.00	
Interest receipts	11,649.57	
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		\$36,559.57
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		\$37,784.24

## EXPENDITURES

Purchase of securities	\$20,369.85	
Accrued interest on purchases	69.41	
Income credited to Burial Dept.	11,580.16	\$32,019.42
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Cash on hand, December 31, 1949		5,764.82
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		\$37,784.24

## ANALYSIS OF FUND

Fund January 1, 1949		\$380,465.95
Perpetual Care of Lots 1949		24,910.00
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		\$405,375.95

## BALANCE SHEET

Cash on hand, December 31, 1949 .....	\$ 5,764.82
Investments .....	399,611.13
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	\$405,375.95

## INVESTMENTS

\$2,000.	American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 3 $\frac{3}{8}$ % 1973 .....	\$2,000.00
6,000	American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ % 1982 .....	6,000.00
9,000	Arkansas Power & Light Co. 1st 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 1974 .....	9,000.00
5,000	Atlantic Coast Line R. R. 1st 4 1952 .....	5,000.00
5,000	Baltimore & Ohio R. R. 1st 4 1975 .....	4,637.50
2,000	Bangor & Aroostook R. R. 4 1951 .....	1,910.00
2,000	Boston & Albany R. R. Ref Deb gtd. 5 1963 .....	2,000.00
2,000	Cambria & Clearfield R. R. GM. 4 1955 .....	2,000.00
5,000	Central New York Power Corp. Gen 3 1974 .....	5,000.00
5,000	Chicago, Indiana & Southern R. R. 4 1956 .....	4,817.92
10,000	Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. Gen. 4 1958 .....	9,895.36
5,000	Consolidated Edison Co. 3 1972 .....	5,000.00
10,000	Consumers Power Co. 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ % 1975 .....	10,000.00
10,000	Great Northern Ry. 5 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 1952 .....	10,000.00
1,000	Great Northern Ry. 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ % D 1976 .....	1,000.00
5,000	Illinois Central Railroad, 1st GB 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 1941 .....	4,537.50
5,000	Jamestown Franklin & Clearfield R. R. 1st 4 1959 .....	4,756.25
5,000	Louisville & Nashville R. R. 1st G 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ % 2003 .....	4,925.00
10,000	Montana Power Co. 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ % 1975 .....	10,250.00
5,000	Mountain State Tel. & Tel. Co. 3 $\frac{1}{8}$ % 1978 .....	5,000.00
3,000	Narragansett Electric Co. 3 1974 .....	3,000.00
5,000	New England Tel. & Tel. Co. 3 1982 .....	5,069.85
10,000	New Jersey Bell Telephone Co. 3 $\frac{1}{8}$ % 1988 .....	10,000.00
10,000	Northern Indiana Public Service 3 $\frac{1}{8}$ % 1973 .....	10,000.00
5,000	Northern Pacific R. R. Pr. Ln. 4 1997 .....	5,000.00
5,000	Northern Pacific Ry. Ref. & Imp. A 4 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 2047 .....	5,000.00
5,000	Northwestern Bell Tel. Co. 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ % 1979 .....	5,000.00
5,000	Pacific Gas & Electric 3 1979 .....	5,000.00
5,000	Pacific Tel. & Tel. Co. 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ % 1986 .....	4,937.50
5,000	Philadelphia Electric Co. 2 $\frac{3}{4}$ % 1981 .....	5,000.00
5,000	Pittsburg, Cincinnati, Chic. & St. Louis R. R. GM A 5 1970 .....	5,000.00
13,000	Reading Company 3 $\frac{1}{2}$ % D 1995 .....	13,000.00
11,000	Seattle Gas Company 3 $\frac{5}{8}$ % 1976 .....	10,830.00
5,000	Southern Pacific R. R. 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ % 1961 .....	4,781.25
5,000	Southern Pacific R. R. 2 $\frac{7}{8}$ % 1986 .....	4,825.00
5,000	Southern Railway Co. 1st Cons. 5 1994 .....	5,000.00
4,000	U. S. Treasury 2 1951/53 .....	4,000.00
15,000	U. S. Treasury 2 1954/52 .....	15,000.00
18,000	U. S. Treasury 2 1954/52 .....	18,000.00
5,000	U. S. Treasury 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 1955 G .....	5,000.00
5,000	U. S. Treasury 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 1955 G .....	5,000.00
2,800	U. S. Treasury 2 1955 .....	2,800.00
2,000	U. S. Treasury 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 1956 G .....	2,000.00
14,000	U. S. Treasury 2 $\frac{1}{4}$ % 1962 .....	14,000.00
10,000	U. S. Treasury 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 1970/65 .....	10,000.00
3,800	U. S. Treasury 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 1972 .....	3,800.00
10,000	U. S. Treasury 2 $\frac{1}{2}$ % 1972/67 .....	10,000.00
200	Shares—First National Bank, Boston .....	9,825.00
25	Shares—Granite Trust Company .....	8,825.00
200	Shares—National Shawmut Bank .....	5,000.00
200	Shares—Quincy Trust Company .....	4,150.00
10,000	Abington Savings Bank .....	10,000.00
5,000	Braintree Savings Bank .....	5,000.00

4,000	Brookline Savings Bank .....	4,000.00	
4,000	Cohasset Savings Bank .....	4,000.00	
5,000	Dedham Institution for Savings .....	5,000.00	
5,000	East Weymouth Savings Bank .....	5,000.00	
5,000	Hingham Institution for Savings .....	5,000.00	
16,038	Quincy Savings Bank .....	16,038.00	
5,000	Randolph Savings Bank .....	5,000.00	
7,000	South Weymouth Savings Bank .....	7,000.00	
7,000	Weymouth Savings Bank .....	7,000.00	
			\$399,611.13

#### WOODWARD FUND AND PROPERTY

Cash on hand, January 1, 1949 .....	\$	3,345.88	
<b>RECEIPTS</b>			
Payments on mortgages .....	\$	15,560.00	
Sale of securities .....		15,235.19	
Savings Bank .....		1,000.00	
			31,795.19
Interest and dividends—stock and bonds ..		6,042.52	
Interest on mortgages .....		5,022.86	
Income from Institute .....		12,096.40	
Refund Survey expense .....		90.89	
			23,252.67
Withholding tax .....			1,956.60
Reserved collections .....			
For taxes and water accounts .....			2,423.50
			\$ 62,773.84

#### EXPENDITURES

Notes secured by mortgages .....	\$	11,100.00	
Purchase of securities .....		17,390.00	
Deposits, Savings Bank .....		2,000.00	
Accrued interest on bonds purchased .....		.55	
Administration .....		69.85	
Gilson Road Property .....		71.47	
Survey of Institute .....		1,000.00	
			31,631.87
<b>Board of Managers</b>			
On Institute—Repairs .....		218.64	
Insurances .....		592.88	
			811.52
<b>By Institute—Payrolls</b>			
Books, Supplies & Sundries .....		1,689.39	
Fuel .....		3,375.88	
Lighting .....		418.46	
Telephone .....		115.09	
Improvements, repairs & fixtures ..		695.47	
			25,686.15
Withholding Tax .....			1,956.60
Reserved collections .....			2,423.50
			\$ 62,509.64
Cash on hand, December 31, 1949 .....			264.20
			\$ 62,773.84

#### INCOME ACCOUNT

Total expenditures .....	27,639.54
Total income .....	23,252.67
Deficit charged to Income Fund .....	\$ 4,386.87

## BALANCE SHEET

GENERAL FUND .....		\$ 253,432.05
INCOME FUND .....	\$ 96,413.44	
Deficit Income .....	4,386.87	
	<u>\$ 92,026.57</u>	
Profit sale securities .....	3.22	92,029.79
		<u>\$ 345,461.84</u>
Cash .....		264.20
Investments .....		176,047.64
Mortgage loans .....		89,150.00
Institute Land & Building .....	77,000.00	
Property—Gilson Road .....	3,900.00	
		<u>80,000.00</u>
		\$ 345,461.84

## INVESTMENTS

3,000.	American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 3 ¾ 1973 .....	\$ 3,000.00
7,000.	American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 2 ¾ 1982 .....	7,000.00
10,000.	Arkansas Power & Light Co. 3 ¾ 1974 .....	10,000.00
4,000.	Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Pittsburgh, Lake Erie & W. Va. 4, 1980 .....	4,000.00
2,000.	Bangor & Aroostook R.R. 4 1951 .....	1,905.00
5,000.	Cambria & Clearfield R.R. GM 4 1955 .....	5,300.00
5,000.	Consolidated Edison of N. Y. 2 ¾ 1982 .....	5,000.00
5,000.	New York Central R.R. Cons. A 4 1998 .....	4,237.50
10,000.	North Indiana Public Service Co. 1st C 3½ 1973 .....	10,000.00
5,000.	Pittsburgh, Cincinnati & St. Louis R. R. 5 1975 .....	5,000.00
10,000.	Reading Company 3 ½ 1995 .....	9,112.50
5,000.	Southern Pacific Co. Oregon Lines 1st A 4½ 1977 .....	4,887.50
10,000.	Southern Pacific Co. R.R. 2 7/8 1986 .....	9,300.00
10,000.	Southern Pacific R.R. 2¾ 1996 .....	9,650.00
5,000.	U.S. Treasury 2½ G Sept. 1961 .....	5,000.00
8,000.	U.S. Treasury 2½ 1869+64 .....	8,065.00
1,000.	U.S. Treasury 2½ 1972 .....	1,000.00
1,000.	Quincy Savings Bank .....	1,000.00
36	Shares—American Telephone & Telegraph .....	2,644.85
8	Shares—Boston & Maine R.R. Prior Preference .....	800.00
66	Shares—Boston & Maine R.R. 1st Pref. A. ....	5,260.00
27	Shares—Boston & Albany R.R. ....	4,900.00
300	Shares—First National Bank of Boston .....	16,356.25
25	Shares—Merchants National Bank of Boston .....	7,955.00
135	Shares—Pennsylvania R.R. ....	7,904.99
300	Shares—National Shawmut Bank of Boston .....	8,412.50
175	Shares—Waltham-Newton Bank & Trust Company .....	10,822.50
62	Shares—Second National Bank of Boston .....	7,834.05
		<u>\$176,047.64</u>

## ADAMS TEMPLE AND SCHOOL FUND

Cash on hand, January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 3,311.75
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## RECEIPTS

Notes secured by mortgage .....	\$ 650.00
Sales of securities .....	5,985.00
Land Sales .....	925.00
	<u>6,660.00</u>

## INCOME

Mortgage Loans .....	\$ 1,960.03	
Stocks and bonds .....	6,194.85	
Savings bank deposits .....	406.04	
Rents .....	2,123.94	
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		10,684.86
Withholding Tax .....		247.20
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		\$ 20,903.81

## EXPENDITURES

Notes secured by mortgage .....	\$ 700.00	
Purchase of securities .....	5,200.00	
Accrued interest on bonds .....	36.09	
Administration of Fund .....	592.99	
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		\$ 6,529.08
Withholding Tax .....		247.20
Expenses on Property		
Adams Academy—Insurance .....	82.72	
Materials and repairs .....	1,721.90	
Care grounds and building .....	2,978.80	
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		4,783.42
Expense by School Dept.		
Covering supplies for school libraries .....		4,172.06
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		\$ 15,731.76
Cash on hand December 31, 1949 .....		5,172.95
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		\$20,903.81

## UNEXPENDED INCOME ACCOUNT

Balance—January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 1,876.35
Unexpended Income .....	1,100.30
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On hand, December 31, 1949 .....	\$ 2,976.65

## BALANCE SHEET

Cash .....	\$ 5,172.05	General Fund .....	\$ 244,209.98
Investments .....	199,914.58	Unexpended Income .....	2,976.65
Mortgages .....	42,100.00		
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	\$ 247,186.63		\$ 247,186.63
Also parcels of Real Estate—Assessed valuation .....			\$ 95,975.60

## INVESTMENTS

5,000 American Tel & Tel 3 % 1973 .....	\$ 5,115.50
6,000 Arkansas Power & Light Co. 3 ½ 1974 .....	6,000.00
5,000 Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe R.R. GM 4, 1995 .....	5,000.00
5,000 Atlantic Coast Line R.R. Lst 4 1952 .....	5,000.00
5,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. Pitts. L. Erie & W. Va. re 4, 1952 .....	5,000.00
8,000 Boston & Albany R. R. Ref. Deb gtd 5 1963 .....	8,009.00
1,500 Boston & Maine R. R. Lst Mtg Series R. R. 4 1960 .....	1,500.00
1,500 Boston & Maine R. R. Inc. Mtg. A. 4½ cum., 1970 .....	1,405.84
5,000 Carthage & Adirondack Ry. gtd. 4 1st 1981 .....	4,343.39
5,000 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. GM 4 1958 .....	4,888.51
4,000 Great Northern Railway 5½ 1952 .....	4,000.00

1,000	Great Northern Railway GM D 4½ 1976 . . . . .	1,000.00
5,000	Illinois Central R. R. St. Louis Div. & Term 3½ 1951 . . . . .	1,513.53
5,000	Illinois Central R. R. Louisville Div 1st 3½ 1953 . . . . .	4,575.00
5,000	Jamestown, Franklin & Clearfield 1st 4 1959 . . . . .	4,781.94
5,000	Louisville & Nashville R. R. 3 ¾ 2003 . . . . .	4,900.00
4,000	Narragansett Electric Co. 3 1974 . . . . .	4,000.00
10,000	New York Telephone Co. 2 ¾ D 1982 . . . . .	10,256.25
5,000	Pennsylvania Railway Gen. Mtg. A 4½ 1965 . . . . .	4,862.50
3,500	U. S. Treasury 2 1951/53 . . . . .	3,500.00
15,000	U. S. Treasury 2 1954/52 . . . . .	15,000.00
7,000	U. S. Treasury 2 1954/52 . . . . .	7,000.00
3,000	U. S. Treasury 2 ½ 1955 G . . . . .	3,000.00
5,000	U. S. Treasury 2 ½ 1962/59 . . . . .	5,000.00
10,000	U. S. Treasury 2 ½ 1963/68 . . . . .	10,000.00
10,000	U. S. Treasury 2 ½ 1970/65 . . . . .	10,000.00
5,000	Reading Company 3 ½ 1995 . . . . .	5,000.00
5,000	Seattle Gas Company 3 ⅝ 1976 . . . . .	5,000.00
8,000	Wisconsin Electric Power Co. 2 ⅝ 1976 . . . . .	8,000.00
2	Shares—Boston & Maine R. R. 1st Pref D . . . . .	520.00
37	Shares—Eastern Gas & Fuel Associates—Prior Pref . . . . .	2,927.62
200	Shares—First National Bank of Boston . . . . .	10,875.00
5	Shares—Granite Trust Company—Quincy . . . . .	1,750.50
200	Shares—National Shawmut Bank of Boston . . . . .	5,700.00
5,000	Braintree Savings Bank . . . . .	5,000.00
4,000	Hingham Institute for Savings . . . . .	4,000.00
3,500	South Weymouth Savings Bank . . . . .	3,500.00
5,000	Weymouth Savings Bank . . . . .	5,000.00
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		\$ 199,914.58

## CHARLES FRANCIS ADAMS FUND

Cash on hand January 1, 1949 . . . . .	\$	292.47
Receipts . . . . .		
Income on securities . . . . .		731.25
	<hr/>	\$ 1,023.72
Expenditures . . . . .		
Administration of Fund . . . . .	\$	5.40
By the School Department . . . . .		435.00
	<hr/>	440.40
Cash on hand, December 31, 1949 . . . . .		583.32
	<hr/>	\$ 1,023.72
Fund . . . . .	\$	11,640.74
Unexpended Income . . . . .		10,917.58
	<hr/>	\$ 22,558.32

## STATEMENT OF FUND

Investments . . . . .	\$	21,975.00
Cash on hand . . . . .		583.32
	<hr/>	\$ 22,558.32
\$5,000	Arkansas Power & Light Co. 3¼ 1974 . . . . .	\$ 5,210.00
5,000	Consolidated Edison Co. N. Y. 2¾ 1982 . . . . .	5,142.50
2,000	New Jersey Bell Tel. Co. 3¼ 1988 . . . . .	2,047.50
5,000	Southern Railway 1st Cons. 5 1994 . . . . .	5,000.00
1,000	U. S. Treasury 2½ G 1956 . . . . .	1,000.00
25	Shares—Second National Bank—Boston . . . . .	3,575.00
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		\$ 21,975.00

## CITY OF QUINCY—RETIREMENT SYSTEM

## RECEIPTS

Cash on hand, January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 12,654.97	
Deposited by Members .....	122,604.51	
Appropriated by City .....	5,975.00	
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Income from Investments .....		\$141,234.43
Bonds called and sold .....		24,450.84
		103,352.07
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		\$269,037.39

## EXPENDITURES

Warrant payments (pensions and withdrawals) ...	\$ 44,470.95	
Securities purchased .....	268,438.57	
Accrued interest on securities purchased .....	1,819.97	
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Cash on hand, December 31, 1949 . . . . .		\$254,729.49
		14,307.90
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		\$269,037.39

## STATEMENT OF FUND

Cash on hand . . . . .	\$ 14,307.90	
Investments 4% System .....	\$147,409.24	
5½ System .....	705,482.94	
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		852,892.18
TOTAL FUND . . . . .	\$ 867,200.08	

## INVESTMENTS

## 4% System

\$10,000 American Telephone & Telegraph 2¾s, 1961 .....	\$ 10,830.37
10,000 Atlantic Coast Line R. R. 1st 4s, 1952 .....	9,107.50
15,000 Baltimore & Ohio R. R. 1st 4, 1975 .....	13,519.88
8,000 Boston & Albany R. R. ½3s, 1952 .....	6,810.00
10,000 Boston & Albany R. R. 5s, 1963 .....	10,392.18
10,000 Boston & Maine R. R. 4s, 1960 .....	10,043.55
5,000 Chesapeake & Ohio Ry 3½, 1996 .....	5,539.50
10,000 Louisville & Nashville R. R. 3¾s, 2003 .....	10,000.00
10,000 Morris & Essex R. R. 1st & Ref 3½s, 2000 .....	7,946.44
10,000 Northern Pacific Ry pr Lien Ry Land Grant 4s, 1997..	8,976.26
9,000 Puget Sound Power & Light Co. 4½s, 1st 1971 .....	9,365.87
5,000 Southern Pacific Co.—Oregon Lines 1st A 4½s, 1977 .....	4,900.80
10,000 Southern Railway Co. 1st Cons Mtg 5s, 1995 .....	9,744.53
10,000 Texas & Pacific Railway 1st 5s, 2000 .....	10,057.99
10,000 U. S. Treasury 2s, 1954/52 .....	10,174.37
10,000 U. S. Treasury G 1961 .....	10,000.00
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	\$ 147,409.24

## 5% System

\$10,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 2¾s, 1961 .....	\$ 10,521.72
8,000 American Telephone & Telegraph Co. 2¾s, 1980 .....	8,010.00
7,000 Atchison, Topeka & Santa Fe GM 4s 1995 .....	7,584.55
15,000 Chesapeake & Ohio R. R. 3½s, 1996 .....	15,548.41
10,000 Chicago, Burlington & Quincy R. R. GM 4s, 1958 .....	3,601.41
10,000 Consolidated Edison Co. 2¾s, 1982 .....	10,175.65
10,000 Detroit Edison Co. 2¾s, 1982 .....	10,029.33

10,000	Erie Railroad 3½s, 2000 .....	9,526.12
15,000	Illinois Central R. R. & Chi., St. L. & New Orleans 5s, 1963 .....	14,590.80
15,000	Monongahelia Power 3 1977 .....	15,300.00
15,000	Montana Power Co. 2 ⅞ 1975 .....	14,693.75
10,000	Mountain States Telephone Co. 3¼ 1978 .....	10,084.33
10,000	New Jersey Bell Telephone Co. 3¼ 1988 .....	10,212.50
10,000	New York Central & Hudson River G. B 3½ 1997 .....	7,561.45
10,000	New York Telephone & Telegraph Co. 3 1981 .....	10,112.50
10,000	Northern Indiana Public Service Co. 3¼ 1978 .....	10,275.00
10,000	Northern Pacific Railway Gen Lines SF 2 2047 .....	6,700.00
10,000	North Western Bell Telephone Co. 3½ 1979 ...	10,250.00
15,000	Pacific Gas & Electric Co. 2⅞ 1980 .....	14,953.57
15,000	Pacific Tel & Tel Co. 3¼ 1987 .....	15,475.00
15,000	Reading Company D 3¼ 1995 .....	15,199.50
15,000	Southern Pacific Ry Co 2¼ 1961 .....	14,486.59
10,000	Southern Railway Co. St. Louis Div 1st 4 1951 .....	9,813.37
15,000	St. Louis & San Francisco Ry 1st 4 1997 .....	13,187.50
10,000	St. Louis & Southwestern 5 1990 .....	10,275.00
10,000	Virginian Railway 3 1995 .....	10,565.29
10,000	U. S. Treasury 2 1952/50 .....	10,085.63
25,000	U. S. Treasury 2 1954 .....	25,398.35
8,000	U. S. Treasury 2¼ 1952/55 .....	8,000.00
79,000	U. S. Treasury 2½ G March 1958 .....	70,000.00
30,000	U. S. Treasury 2½ G May 1958 .....	30,000.00
30,000	U. S. Treasury 2½ G January 1959 .....	30,000.00
65,000	U. S. Treasury 2¼ 1962/59 .....	65,000.00
10,000	U. S. Treasury 2½ 1968/63 .....	10,000.00
100,000	U. S. Treasury 2½ 1969/64 .....	104,265.62
23,000	U. S. Treasury 2½ 1972/67 .....	23,000.00
35,000	Quincy Savings Bank ....	35,000.00

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\$ 705,482.94

Total Investments—\$852,892.18



## Collector of Taxes

This Department is for tax income, including abatement credits and all pertinent detail in processing approximately eighty-three thousand accounts annually aggregating nearly \$6,500,000.00. As the statement is relative to four types of taxation for a specific year and collection progress of delinquent items pertaining to a few past years, the report is necessarily one of considerable classified description. Reduced to a minimum of detail for clarity and easy understanding we submit our report for year ending December 31, 1949.

FREDERICK C. SMAIL,  
Collector of Taxes.

The amount of cash collected on the tax for the various years is as follows:

PERSONAL TAX OF 1946		Cash Received
Charges .. .. .	\$ 15.00	
Amount collected during year 1949 ... .. .	15.00	\$ 15.00
Amount of interest collected .. .. .		.20



## PERSONAL TAX OF 1947

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 2,088.38	
Charges .....	33.00	
	<u>\$ 2,121.38</u>	
Less abatements .....	2,038.38	
	<u>\$ 83.00</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	83.00	83.00

## REAL ESTATE TAX OF 1947

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$12,237.22	
Charges .....	5.78	
	<u>\$12,243.00</u>	
Credits .....	17.00	
	<u>\$12,226.00</u>	
Less abatements .....	11,279.40	
	<u>\$ 946.60</u>	
Abatement refunds .....	11,277.75	
	<u>\$12,224.35</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	12,218.57	12,218.57
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 5.78	
Amount of interest collected .....		418.39

## MAIN SEWER APPORTIONMENTS OF 1947

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 24.98	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	24.98	24.98

## STREET BETTERMENT APPORTIONMENTS OF 1947

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 249.98	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	23.22	23.22
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 226.76	

## COMMITTED INTEREST ON BETTERMENTS OF 1947

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 60.68	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	6.26	6.26
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 54.42	

## WATER LIENS ON 1947 TAX BILLS

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 31.72	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	31.72	31.72

## PERSONAL TAX OF 1948

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$16,497.80	
Less abatements .....	2,064.05	
	<u>\$14,433.75</u>	
Abatement refunds .....	380.00	
	<u>\$14,813.75</u>	

Amount collected during year 1949 .....	13,549.47	13,549.47
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 1,264.28	

#### REAL ESTATE TAX OF 1948

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$318,098.31	
Charges .....	34.51	
	<u>\$318,132.82</u>	
Credits .....	45,630.26	
	<u>\$272,502.56</u>	
Less abatements .....	13,371.15	
	<u>\$259,131.41</u>	
Abatement refunds .....	10,322.24	
	<u>\$269,453.65</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	269,453.65	269,453.65
Amount of interest collected .....		6,074.71

#### MAIN SEWER APPORTIONMENTS OF 1948

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 561.51	
Charges .....	9.45	
	<u>\$ 570.96</u>	
Credits .....	210.04	
	<u>\$ 360.92</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	360.92	360.92

#### STREET BETTERMENT APPORTIONMENTS OF 1948

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 813.47	
Credits .....	33.10	
	<u>\$ 780.37</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	553.61	553.61
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 226.76	

#### COMMITTED INTEREST ON BETTERMENTS OF 1948

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 363.60	
Credits .....	68.10	
	<u>\$ 295.50</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	250.15	250.15
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 45.35	

#### WATER LIENS ON 1948 TAX BILLS

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 2,196.15	
Credits .....	482.75	
	<u>\$ 1,713.40</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	1,713.40	1,713.40

## PERSONAL TAX OF 1949

Total amount committed by Assessors .....	\$392,078.06	
Charges .....	6.60	
	<u>\$392,084.66</u>	
Less abatements .....	3,579.30	
	<u>\$388,505.36</u>	
Abatement refunds .....	360.80	
	<u>\$388,866.16</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	368,352.97	368,352.97
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$20,513.19	

## REAL ESTATE TAX OF 1949

Total amount committed by Assessors .....	\$5,572,178.80	
Charges .....	6,287.97	
	<u>\$5,578,466.77</u>	
Credits .....	342.35	
	<u>\$5,578,124.42</u>	
Less abatements .....	66,530.73	
	<u>\$5,511,593.69</u>	
Abatement refunds .....	7,329.53	
	<u>\$5,518,923.22</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	5,210,808.36	5,210,808.36
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 3,8,114.86	
Amount of interest collected .....		1,290.61

## MAIN SEWER APPORTIONMENTS OF 1949

Total amount committed by Assessors .....	\$ 4,108.73	
Charges .....	12.08	
	<u>\$ 4,120.81</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	3,555.60	3,555.60
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 565.21	

## SIDEWALK APPORTIONMENTS OF 1949

Total amount committed by Assessors .....	\$ 81.69	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	76.38	76.38
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 5.31	

## STREET BETTERMENT APPORTIONMENT OF 1949

Total amount committed by Assessors .....	\$13,970.90	
Charges .....	63.02	
	<u>\$14,033.92</u>	
Less abatements .....	1.82	
	<u>\$14,032.10</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	12,738.23	12,738.23
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 1,293.87	

COMMITTED INTEREST ON BETTERMENTS OF 1949

Total amount committed by Assessors .....	\$ 4,861.93	
Charges .....	19.62	
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	\$ 4,881.55	
Less abatements .....	19.34	
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	\$ 4,862.21	
Abatement refund .....	.22	
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	\$ 4,862.43	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	4,368.54	4,368.54
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Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 493.89	

WATER LIENS ON 1948 TAX BILLS

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 117.42	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	30.88	30.88
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Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 86.54	

POLL TAX OF 1949

Total amount committed by Assessors .....	\$52,366.00	
Charges .....	22.00	
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	\$52,388.00	
Less abatements .....	2,004.00	
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	\$50,384.00	
Abatement refunds .....	30.00	
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	\$50,414.00	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	48,574.00	48,574.00
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Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 1,840.00	

POLL TAX OF 1948

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 1,328.00	
Charges .....	3.65	
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	\$ 1,931.65	
Less abatements .....	484.00	
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	\$ 1,447.65	
Abatement refunds .....	4.00	
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	\$ 1,451.65	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	445.65	445.65
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Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 1,006.00	

POLL TAX OF 1947

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 936.00	
Less abatements .....	908.00	
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	\$ 28.00	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	28.00	28.00
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## POLL TAX OF 1946

Charges .....	\$	2.00	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....		2.00	2.00
		<u>2.00</u>	

## MOTOR EXCISE TAX OF 1949

Total amount committed by Assessors .....	\$378,783.53	
Charges .....	34.11	
	<u>\$378,817.64</u>	
Less abatements .....	11,599.94	
	<u>\$367,217.70</u>	
Abatement refunds .....	5,879.98	
	<u>\$373,096.78</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	337,298.77	337,298.77
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$35,798.01	
Amount of interest collected .....		112.93

## MOTOR EXCISE TAX OF 1948

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$13,382.98	
Warrant by Assessors .....	4,025.95	
	<u>\$17,408.93</u>	
Less abatements .....	716.73	
	<u>\$16,692.20</u>	
Abatement refunds .....	407.38	
	<u>\$17,099.58</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	13,102.92	13,102.92
Amount uncollected January 1, 1950 .....	\$ 3,996.66	
Amount of interest collected .....		86.83

## MOTOR EXCISE TAX OF 1947

Amount uncollected January 1, 1949 .....	\$ 2,052.60	
Charges .....	51.55	
	<u>\$ 2,104.15</u>	
Less Abatements .....	2,000.96	
	<u>\$ 103.19</u>	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....	103.19	103.19
Amount of interest collected .....		2.46

## MOTOR EXCISE TAX OF 1946

Charges .....	\$	2.83	
Amount collected during year 1949 .....		2.83	2.83
		<u>2.83</u>	
Amount of interest collected .....			.06

## MAIN SEWERS

Amount collected on Sewer Construction .....	\$	4,535.96	
Amount of interest collected .....			4.06

## SIDEWALKS

Amount collected on Sidewalk .....	19.32
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## STREET BETTERMENTS

Amount collected on Street Betterments .....	19,399.56
Amount of interest collected ... ..	92.16
Amount collected on Water Liens previous .....	81.93
Costs collected during year 1949 .....	3,831.51

Total amount of cash collected during year 1949 .....	\$6,333,722.11
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*Assessor's Report*

Mr. William Deegan, Jr.,  
City Manager,  
Quincy, Mass.

Dear Sir:—

The following is respectfully submitted as the report of the Assessing Department for the year 1949:

## VALUATION

Value of Buildings .....	\$ 97,326,725.00
Value of Land .....	38,574,675.00
Total Value of Land & Buildings .....	\$135,901,400.00
Value of Personal Property .....	9,562,875.00
Total Valuation of the City as determined Jan. 1, 1949 .....	\$145,464,275.00

## TAX RATE

\$41.00

Amount to be raised by taxation .....	\$ 5,964,035.45
Amount to be raised on Poll Taxes .....	51,552.00
The valuation was increased by omitted assessments levied in December 1949 .....	5,400.00
Net Valuation of Motor Vehicles Dec. 31, 1949 .....	9,167,074.00
Total Valuation of the City, including automobiles for 1949 was	\$154,636,749.00

## RECAPITULATION FOR 1949

## CITY APPROPRIATIONS

Budget .....	\$ 8,296,231.16
General Interest .....	61,617.50
City Debt .....	405,000.00
Temporary Loan Interest .....	11,000.00
Deficit Overlay .....	13,223.10
Appropriation from Available Funds .....	566,068.13
Overlay (Current year) .....	62,900.58
Water Appropriation .....	205,298.62
Overlay (Current year) .....	62,900.58
Water Appropriations .....	205,298.62
Interest on Tax Refunds .....	750.00

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\$9,622,089.09

## STATE ASSESSMENTS

State Examination of Retirement System .....	\$	521.92
State Audit .....		2,939.15
Smoke Inspection .....		1,757.41
Charles River Basin .....		18,023.56
Metropolitan Parks (Reservations) .....		48,567.85
Nantasket Beach .....		3,907.25
Metropolitan Sewerage .....		106,662.49
Boulevards .....		464.41
Metropolitan Water .....		91,503.28
Underestimates .....		11,318.31
	\$	285,665.63

## COUNTY ASSESSMENTS

Tuberculosis Hospital .....	\$	100,518.56
County Tax .....		187,116.10
Under Estimates—County Tax .....		11,265.40
Under Estimates—Tuberculosis Hospital .....		17,264.43
	\$	316,164.49
TOTAL EXPENSES .....	\$	10,223,919.21

## ESTIMATED INCOME FOR 1949

Income Tax .....	\$	228,137.00
Corporation Tax .....		162,886.71
Personal Income Tax .....		208,644.84
Business Corporation Tax .....		293,020.00
Motor Vehicle & Trailer Excise .....		268,044.00
Licenses .....		89,948.00
Fines .....		3,396.00
Refunds .....		157.00
Miscellaneous .....		5,530.00
Special Assessments .....		36,721.00
General Government .....		13,229.90
Protection of Persons & Property .....		17,393.00
Health & Sanitation .....		55,746.00
Highways .....		1,536.00
Charities .....		92,387.00
Old Age Assistance .....		364,197.00
Old Age Tax (Meals) .....		11,087.82
Veterans' Benefits .....		46,297.00
Schools .....		54,807.00
Libraries .....		5,016.00
Recreation .....		5,268.00
Water Dept. .....		296,801.90
Cemeteries .....		27,115.00
Interest .....		16,472.00
Old Age Tax .....		9,701.84
Hospital .....		865,749.00
Quincy Housing .....		8,000.00
Additional Amount Approved by the Commissioner .....		119,301.00
Approved as Additional by the Commissioner .....		330,000.00

Overestimates ..... \$ 5,673.51  
 Available Funds ..... 566,068.13

\$ 4,208,331.75

Respectfully submitted,

BOARD OF ASSESSORS  
 CHARLES F. A. SMITH, Chairman  
 ARNOLD O. EASTMAN  
 LARRY ANTONELLI



*Annual Appropriations*

Order No. 108

February 14, 1949

ORDERED.—

That the several sums named herein be and are hereby appropriated for the payment of the expenses of the City of Quincy for the financial year beginning January 1, 1949 and ending December 31, 1949, to be expended by and under the direction of the several officers or boards as herein designated.

**GENERAL GOVERNMENT**

**LEGISLATIVE**

Salaries ..... \$ 10,600.00  
 Expense ..... 2,400.00

**EXECUTIVE**

Salaries ..... \$ 10,220.00  
 Expense ..... 1,400.00  
 Auto Maintenance ..... 400.00

**AUDITOR**

Salaries ..... \$ 13,800.00  
 Expense ..... 2,400.00

**TREASURER**

Salaries ..... \$ 19,600.00  
 Expense ..... 7,000.00

**MANAGEMENT OF PROPERTY**

Expense ..... \$ 320.00

**COLLECTOR**

Salaries ..... \$ 23,850.00  
 Expense ..... 4,800.00

**ASSESSORS**

Salaries ..... \$ 27,800.00  
 Expense ..... 4,500.00  
 Transportation ..... 900.00  
 Tax Appeal Expense ..... 500.00

**LAW**

Salaries ..... \$ 3,600.00  
 Expense ..... 3,000.00  
 Awards and Claims ..... 2,500.00



**CITY CLERK**

Salaries .....	\$	11,925.00
Expense .....		590.00
New Equipment .....		125.00
Vital Statistics .....		900.00

**DOG OFFICER**

Salaries .....	\$	2,575.00
Expense .....	\$	80.00
Use of Car .....		360.00

**CITY MESSENGER**

Salary .....	\$	1,400.00
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**CITY ENGINEER**

Salaries .....	\$	29,365.64
Pensions .....		3,593.50
Expense .....		1,200.00
Auto Maintenance .....		1,000.00

**REGISTRARS**

Salaries .....	\$	6,525.00
Election Officers .....		3,465.00
Expense .....		7,300.00

**BOARD OF SURVEY**

Expense .....	\$	25.00
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**PLANNING BOARD**

Salaries .....	\$	200.00
Pensions .....		150.00
Expense .....		200.00

**LICENSE BOARD**

Salaries .....	\$	153.00
Expense .....		400.00

**BOARD OF APPEALS**

Salary .....	\$	300.00
Expense .....		300.00

**RETIREMENT BOARD**

Salaries .....	\$	2,050.00
Expense .....		1,200.00

**CIVIL SERVICE REGISTRATION**

Expense .....	\$	100.00
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**PURCHASING AGENT**

Salaries .....	\$	11,900.00
Expense .....		1,300.00

**MUNICIPAL BUILDINGS**

Salaries and Wages .....	\$	13,114.00
Maintenance and Operation .....		33,009.60

**POLICE**

Salaries and Wages .....	\$ 430,000.00
Pensions .....	35,639.66
Station and General Expense .....	11,700.00
Radio Maintenance .....	2,000.00
Auto Maintenance .....	13,000.00
Prisoners' Expense .....	700.00
Special Duty Expense .....	900.00
New Equipment .....	7,900.00
Liquor Enforcement .....	50.00
Out of State Travel .....	300.00

**FIRE**

Salaries and Wages .....	\$ 548,550.00
Pensions .....	45,521.48
Station and General Expense .....	17,750.00
Equipment Maintenance .....	6,500.00
Fire Prevention Bureau Use of Car .....	360.00
Hose .....	2,000.00
New Equipment .....	3,630.00

**FIRE AND POLICE SIGNALS**

Salaries and Wages .....	\$ 16,259.76
Power and Light .....	2,100.00
General Maintenance .....	10,000.00
Auto Maintenance .....	300.00
Use of Car .....	360.00

**SEALER OF WEIGHTS AND MEASURES**

Salaries .....	\$ 5,900.00
Expense .....	250.00
Auto Maintenance .....	350.00

**INSPECTOR OF WIRES**

Salaries .....	\$ 5,150.00
Expense .....	525.00
Use of Car .....	360.00

**INSPECTOR OF BUILDINGS**

Salaries .....	\$ 9,050.00
Expense .....	555.00
Use of Car .....	720.00

**GYPSY MOTH**

Salary and Wages .....	\$ 41,565.20
Pensions .....	1,000.00
Supplies .....	2,500.00
Equipment Maintenance .....	2,600.00
Gypsy Moth .....	5,000.00
New Trees .....	750.00
Dutch Elm .....	7,000.00
New Equipment .....	2,500.00

**BOARD OF HEALTH****ADMINISTRATION**

Salaries .....	\$ 13,430.00
Expense .....	2,535.00
Auto Maintenance .....	1,568.00
Use of Cars .....	360.00

**CONTAGIOUS DISEASES**

Salaries .....	\$	3,260.00
Expense .....		35,000.00

**CHILD WELFARE**

Salaries .....	\$	8,820.00
Expense .....		494.00

**DENTAL CLINIC**

Salaries .....	\$	5,750.88
Expense .....		502.80

**DISPENSARY**

Salaries .....	\$	6,850.00
Expense .....		560.00

**INSPECTION**

Salaries .....	\$	12,331.00
Expense .....		870.00
Travel Out of State .....		25.00
Undernourished Children .....		1,000.00
Rodent Extermination .....		1,000.00
New Equipment .....		2,200.00

**PUBLIC WORKS****ADMINISTRATION****Highway**

Salaries .....	\$	14,800.00
Office Expense .....		500.00

**Sewer**

Salaries .....	\$	6,150.00
Office Expense .....		165.00

**SANITARY**

Salaries and Wages .....	\$	254,450.00
Pensions .....		12,975.00
Equipment Rentals .....		4,500.00
Equipment Maintenance .....		31,500.00
Care of Dumps .....		9,200.00

**SEWERS**

General Maintenance .....	\$	40,000.00
Pensions .....		8,950.00
Equipment Maintenance .....		750.00
Particular Sewers .....		24,500.00
Garage and Stable .....		5,800.00

**HIGHWAY**

Pensions .....	\$	25,913.27
General Maintenance .....		330,000.00
Street Lighting .....		134,070.00
Miscellaneous Activities .....		28,000.00
Curbing .....		25,000.00
Mosquito Control .....		5,000.00
Bituminous Concrete Sidewalks .....		30,000.00

**CHARITIES****WELFARE ADMINISTRATION**

Salaries .....	\$	27,473.90
Expense .....		2,680.00
Auto Maintenance .....		1,450.00
Use of Cars .....		1,080.00
Legal Expense .....		1,400.00
Labor .....		1,256.00
City Home Salaries .....		6,436.00
City Home New Equipment .....		540.25

**AID TO DEPENDENT CHILDREN**

Salaries .....	\$	3,429.90
Expense .....		140.00
Use of Car .....		100.00

**OLD AGE ASSISTANCE**

Salaries .....	\$	16,138.15
Expense .....		2,132.50
Auto Maintenance .....		656.00
Use of Car .....		540.00
City Home .....		9,900.00
Outside Aid .....		130,000.00
Aid to Dependent Children .....		110,000.00
Old Age Assistance .....		524,000.00

**VETERANS' SERVICES**

Salaries .....	\$	17,400.00
Administration Expense .....		1,500.00
Use of Cars .....		1,080.00
Rent .....		600.00
Veterans' Benefits .....		83,000.00

**SCHOOLS**

Salaries and Wages .....	\$	\$2,034,265.00
Expense .....		310,380.00
New Equipment .....		20,000.00
Pensions .....		5,582.00
Veterans' Education Center .....		1,478.00

**LIBRARY**

Salaries and Wages .....	\$	92,773.14
Expense .....		19,500.00
Books and Periodicals .....		18,000.00
Auto Maintenance .....		445.00
New Equipment .....		2,400.00
Painting & Waterproofing Main Library .....		2,200.00

**PARKS****ADMINISTRATION**

Salaries .....	\$	1,550.00
Expense .....		100.00
Use of Commissioners' Cars .....		1,080.00

### MAINTENANCE

Salaries and Wages .....	\$	60,656.40
Supplies and Expense .....		6,000.00
Equipment Maintenance .....		1,500.00
Use of Foreman's Car .....		360.00
Fore River Club Salaries .....		3,500.00
Expense .....		1,300.00
Insurance .....		60.00
New Equipment .....		3,837.50

### RECREATION

Administration Salaries .....	\$	2,500.00
Expense .....		300.00
Salaries and Wages .....		25,044.00
Supplies and Expense .....		5,000.00
Use of Car .....		360.00
Promotion and Miscellaneous .....		800.00

### HOSPITAL

Salaries and Wages .....	\$	839,201.27
Expense .....		427,500.00
Pensions .....		3,750.00
New Equipment .....		30,000.00
Living Out .....		15,000.00
Improvements .....		9,000.00

### CEMETERY

Salaries .....	\$	2,450.00
Pensions .....		1,014.00
Labor .....	\$66,331.20	
Less Perp. Care Inc. ....	\$10,000.00	
Less Receipts from Sale of Lots .....	17,590.00	27,590.00
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Office Expense .....		250.00
Supplies and Expense .....		2,000.00
Equipment Maintenance .....		1,100.00
Sub-Soil and Loan for New Land .....		1,000.00
New Equipment .....		747.50

### UNCLASSIFIED

Observance of Memorial Day .....	\$	3,425.00
Veterans' Rents .....		7,800.00
Harbor Master .....		400.00
Harbor Master Expense .....		50.00
Insurance .....		190.00
Annual Report .....		1,500.00
Workmen's Compensation .....		18,125.00
Annuities .....		2,200.00
Care of Historical Places .....		267.40
Repairs to Adams' Birthplaces .....		3,000.00
Armistice Day .....		350.00
Care of Clock .....		200.00
Mosquito Control .....		3,000.00
Care of Veterans' Graves .....		165.00
Rifle Range .....		500.00

Maturing Debt .....	405,000.00
General Interest .....	61,617.59
Temporary Loan Interest .....	10,000.00
Interest on Tax Refunds .....	500.00

GRAND TOTAL ..... \$8,058,419.43

And be it further

ORDERED:

That the following sums be and hereby appropriated for the expense of the Water Department to be paid from Water Receipts:

**WATER DEPARTMENT**

Salaries .....	\$ 33,286.67
Pensions .....	8,661.95
Office Expense .....	2,200.00
General Maintenance .....	74,000.00
Equipment Maintenance .....	4,000.00
Service Connections .....	52,000.00
Meters .....	8,500.00
New Equipment .....	7,500.00
Painting Water Tanks .....	1,050.00

TOTAL ..... \$ 191,198.62

Passed to be ordained March 21, 1949.

Attest: HATTIEMAY THOMAS,

Clerk of Council.

Approved March 22, 1949.

CHARLES A. ROSS, Mayor.

A true copy,

Attest:—

City Clerk.

**ADDITIONAL APPROPRIATIONS**

Order No.	Account	Amount	Date
9	Street Construction .....	\$ 35,500.00	Jan. 3, 1949
12	City Hall Janitor .....	2,300.00	Jan. 20, 1949
57	Quincy Housing Authority .....	1,800.00	Jan. 20, 1949
64	Land Damages .....	1.00	Jan. 21, 1949
43	Parking Pensions .....	1,155.40	Feb. 8, 1949
44	Highway Pensions .....	1,102.50	Feb. 8, 1949
100	JUDGMENT, etc. City Solicitor .....	528.98	Feb. 8, 1949
101	JUDGMENT, etc. City Solicitor .....	223.18	Feb. 8, 1949
13	Salary Increase—Employees .....	380,400.00	Feb. 8, 1949
70	School Expenses .....	4,000.00	Feb. 15, 1949
70	School Additional Equipment .....	4,745.00	Feb. 15, 1949
72	Printing City Ordnances .....	2,500.00	Feb. 15, 1949
102	Recreation Salaries & Wages .....	6,000.00	Feb. 15, 1949
102	Recreation Supplies & Expenses .....	1,800.00	Feb. 15, 1949
134	School Site Borings .....	500.00	Mar. 23, 1949
238	Tax Collector .....	545.00	Apr. 4, 1949
71	City Solicitor, Land Damages .....	1,187.50	Apr. 20, 1949
104	City Solicitor, Expert Services .....	1,500.00	Apr. 20, 1949
195	Grave Markers—Director Vet Services ..	600.00	Apr. 20, 1949
196	Drawings, Specifications, Atherton Hough School .....	4,642.00	Apr. 20, 1949
197	Drawings, Specifications Wollaston School ..	10,980.00	Apr. 20, 1949
244	Playground Purposes .....	4,218.75	Apr. 8, 1949

Order No.	Account	Amount	Date
200	A.D.C. Social Worker .....	825.00	May 3, 1949
201	O. A. A. Jr. Clerk .....	625.00	May 3, 1949
203	O. A. A. Div. New Equipment .....	735.00	May 3, 1949
276	Sewer Maint. Equipment .....	450.00	May 3, 1949
277	Highways New Equipment .....	2,500.00	May 3, 1949
277	Sanitary Business Coupe .....	1,500.00	May 3, 1949
277	Public Works Club Coupe .....	2,500.00	May 3, 1949
277	Sewer New Equipment .....	2,584.00	May 3, 1949
279	Hospital Salaries .....	36,860.00	May 3, 1949
291	Sanitary Pensions .....	939.06	May 3, 1949
351	Construction Pub. Bldgs. ....	35,500.00	May 3, 1949
184	Police Pensions .....	1,706.08	May 25, 1949
198	Hough's Neck Station .....	2,100.00	May 16, 1949
278	Fire—New Equipment .....	35,000.00	May 25, 1949
297	Sanitary Div. New Chassis .....	600.00	May 16, 1949
298	Shellfish Constable—Use of Car .....	225.00	May 19, 1949
299	Shellfish Constable—Salaries ..	1,587.30	May 19, 1949
314	Sanitary Division Pension .....	862.92	May 18, 1949
312	Hospital Pensions .....	994.62	May 18, 1949
313	Police Pensions .....	1,712.23	May 18, 1949
329	Interest Tax Refund .....	250.00	May 19, 1949
331	Awards and Claims ..	81.35	May 19, 1949
332	Elections & Registrars .....	35,000.00	May 25, 1949
338	Municipal Bldgs.—New Equipment ..	114.20	May 18, 1949
354	Municipal Parking Area .....	35,500.00	May 25, 1949
335	Fire & Police Signals .....	4,500.00	May 25, 1949
		<u>671,481.07</u>	
371	Police Pensions .....	1,783.76	May 18, 1949
372	Sewer Construction .....	35,500.00	May 19, 1949
373	Engineering Supt., Public Works .....	2,614.40	May 19, 1949
375	Mosquito Control .....	3,800.00	May 25, 1949
413	Temporary Loan Interest, Treas. ....	1,000.00	May 9, 1949
Total	.....	<u>716,179.23</u>	
Budget	.....	8,058,419.43	
Additional Appropriations	.....	716,179.23	
Water	.....	<u>205,298.62</u>	
Total	.....	<u>\$8,979,897.28</u>	

## RECEIPTS 1949

### GENERAL REVENUE

#### Current Year:

Poll .....	\$ 48,574.00
Personal .....	368,352.97
Real Estate .....	5,210,808.36
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax .....	337,998.77
	<u>\$5,965,034.10</u>

#### Previous Year:

Poll .....	\$ 475.65
Personal .....	13,647.47
Real Estate .....	281,672.22
Motor Vehicle Excise Tax .....	13,208.94
Tax Title Redeemed .....	21,688.35
	<u>\$ 330,692.63</u>

## From State:

Corporation Tax .....	\$ 808,392.27	
Income Tax 1949		
State Valuation .....	506,506.00	
Educational Allotment .....	180,121.50	
Education .....	37,840.12	
Teachers Annuities .....	1,475.34	
(Military Service)		
		<u>\$1,534,335.23</u>

## Licenses:

Liquor .....	\$ 72,750.00	
All Others .....	19,610.88	
		<u>\$ 92,360.88</u>

## Permits:

Marriage .....	\$ 1,936.00	
Plumbing .....	4,074.00	
Alcohol .....	58.00	
Garbage .....	32.00	
Milk .....	218.00	
Beverage .....	80.00	
		<u>\$ 6,398.00</u>

Court Fines and Forfeits .....	\$ 3,535.45
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## GRANTS AND GIFTS

## From State:

Industrial School (Smith-Hughes and George Deen Funds .....	\$ 4,299.46	
Vocational Education .....	567.00	
Meal Tax .....	22,690.98	
		<u>\$ 27,557.44</u>

## From County:

Dog Licenses .....	\$ 5,096.83
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## COMMERCIAL REVENUE

Gypsy Moth .....	\$ 377.50	
Street Betterment .....	32,714.62	
Sidewalks .....	95.70	
Main Sewers .....	8,477.46	
		<u>\$ 41,665.28</u>

## DEPARTMENTAL REVENUE

City Treasurer costs .....	\$ 183.00	
Tax Collector costs .....	3,831.51	
City Clerk Recording and Special .....	9,936.90	
		<u>\$ 13,951.41</u>
Tax Collector—Cash Advance .....	\$ 200.00	
Hospital—Cash Advance .....	375.00	
Fire—Cash Advance .....	15.00	
City Clerk—Cash Advance .....	5.00	
Library—Cash Advance .....	10.00	
		<u>\$ 605.00</u>

## PARK

Rent Fore River Club .....	\$ 1,745.00	
Use of Stadium & Playgrounds .....	3,281.13	
Rent of Kendall Estate .....	400.00	
		<u>\$ 5,426.13</u>



### PROTECTION OF PERSONS AND PROPERTY

Police Department	
Gun Permits .....	\$ 202.00
Bicycle Registrations .....	253.25
Sale of Junk .....	46.85
Commissions .....	8.96
Misc. ....	48.67
	\$ 559.73
Fire Department	
Miscellaneous .....	\$ 294.01
State	
Gas Tax Refunds .....	\$ 264.42
Sealer of Weights	
Fees .....	\$ 1,625.90
Building Inspector	
Fees .....	\$ 11,981.50
Wire Inspector	
Fees .....	\$ 4,306.50
Engineering	
Fees .....	\$ 179.29
Fire & Police Signal	
Damage to Fire Signal .....	\$ 122.78

### HEALTH AND SANITATION

Contagious .....	\$ 1,253.50
Tuberculosis .....	\$ 1,074.00
Sanitation:	
Particular Sewers (Labor & Materials) .....	\$ 27,025.31
Refuse and Garbage:	
Scavenger .....	\$ 978.00
Garbage .....	\$ 11,540.00

### HIGHWAYS

Miscellaneous .....	\$ 4,238.75
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### CHARITIES

Reimbursement for Relief	
Outside Aid	
Individuals .....	\$ 3,011.58
Cities and Towns .....	\$ 13,055.62
State .....	\$ 28,136.81
	\$ 44,201.01
Mothers Aid	
State .....	\$ 56,871.28
Federal Grant .....	\$ 51,286.80
Recovery .....	\$ 164.15
	\$ 108,322.23
Old Age Assistance	
Recovery .....	\$ 6,000.58
Cities and Towns .....	\$ 16,553.33
State .....	\$ 376,185.29
Federal Grant .....	\$ 450,307.92
	\$ 849,047.12

### HOSPITAL

Received from Patients .....	\$ 884,821.92
Endowment Fund .....	\$ 2,350.00
Sale of Films .....	\$ 130.34

Tuition of Vets .....	\$	255.00	
Nurses Meals .....	\$	2,429.00	
Miscellaneous .....	\$	4,305.41	
			\$ 894,291.67

### EDUCATION

School Department			
Tuition .....	\$	570.79	
Sale of Books and Supplies .....	\$	1,882.52	
Rents .....	\$	5,458.00	
From State:			
Reinbursement Sight Saving Class .....	\$	541.78	
Refund Gov. Apprentices .....	\$	1,991.22	
			\$ 10,444.31
Industrial School			
Sale of Products .....	\$	563.82	
Industrial School Revenue			
Receipts from Cities and Towns .....	\$	11,577.40	

### LIBRARY

Fines .....	\$	4,864.59	
Miscellaneous .....	\$	473.61	
			\$ 5,338.20

### UNCLASSIFIED

Veterans Services .....	\$	70,703.88	
Parking Meters .....	\$	37,978.34	
Income from Tax Possessions .....	\$	516.00	
Conscience Funds .....	\$	2.00	
West Acres Surplus .....	\$	1,415.58	
Rebuilding Washington St. ....	\$	88,046.96	
County Share .....	\$	25,472.63	
State Share .....	\$	62,574.33	
Duplicate Tax Title Release .....	\$	20.00	
Sale of City Property .....	\$	6,435.00	
Housing Project (in lieu of taxes) .....	\$	7,084.80	
Quincy Housing Authority (Rents) .....	\$	2,160.00	
Balance on City Appropriations .....	\$	20.99	
Sale of Land .....	\$	11,842.56	
Rent Driving Range .....	\$	600.00	
Welfare Rents .....	\$	404.30	
Reinbursement on Prop. ....	\$	25.00	
			\$ 429.30
Damage			
Cash Variation (Treas. Dept.) .....	\$	43.19	
Tax Collector Return Postage .....	\$	237.50	
Adjustment State Audit .....	\$	3.00	
Police—Return premium on Boiler .....	\$	14.03	
Purchasing: Sale of Obsolete .....			
supplies & return premium .....	\$	253.00	
			\$ 227,806.13

### WATER SERVICE ENTERPRISE

Water Department			
Water Rates 1949 .....	\$	336,221.34	
Previous Years .....	\$	6,419.02	

Water Service Connections .....	\$ 31,732.08	
Water Liens .....	\$ 2,392.45	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 426,764.89

## CEMETERIES

Burial Department		
Sale of Lots and Graves .....	\$ 18,550.00	
Care of Lots and Graves .....	\$ 1,314.80	
Opening Graves .....	\$ 23,660.00	
Foundation and Grading .....	\$ 3,723.25	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 47,248.05

## INTEREST

Interest on Taxes .....	\$ 7,783.91	
Interest on Tax Titles .....	\$ 2,728.14	
Interest on Assessments .....	\$ 201.43	
Committed Interest .....	\$ 4,624.95	
Interest on Street Betterments .....	\$ 52.16	
Interest on Main Sewers .....	\$ 4.06	
Post War Rehabilitation .....	\$ 1,406.25	
Miscellaneous .....	\$ 174.32	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 17,015.22
Interest on Trust Funds		
Perpetual Care .....	\$ 11,649.57	
Retirement .....	\$ 24,450.84	
Miscellaneous .....	\$ 1,096.29	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 37,196.70
Premium on Bond Sales .....	\$ 6,466.00	

## MUNICIPAL INDEBTEDNESS

Temporary Loan 1949 .....	\$2,500,000.00
General Loans .....	\$ 950,000.00
Post War Rehabilitation .....	\$ 125,000.00

## REFUNDS

Old Age .....	\$ 13,591.16	
Fire .....	\$ 5.52	
Veterans Services .....	\$ 2.00	
Park .....	\$ 18.96	
City Clerk .....	\$ 32.92	
School .....	\$ 18.11	
Hospital .....	\$ 3.44	
Water .....	\$ 31.80	
Retirement System .....	\$ 1.93	
A. D. C. Federal Grant .....	\$ 46.02	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 13,661.86
Agencies And Trust		
Deposits .....	\$ 32,823.00	
Hunters Licenses .....	\$ 4,187.75	
Deposits on Sale of Tax Possessions .....	\$ 605.00	
Hospital Trust Funds .....	\$ 10,328.33	
Payroll Tailings .....	\$ 798.02	
Perpetual Care Fund .....	\$ 24,910.00	
Retirement Fund .....	\$ 122,604.51	
For County (Dogs) .....	\$ 6,302.40	
Withholding Tax .....	\$ 458,441.05	
Serpos Fund (Health) .....	\$ 9,455.42	
	<u>          </u>	\$ 670,455.48

## DEBT STATEMENT

Total Debt Jan. 1, 1949 .....	\$3,342,000.00
Additions during 1949:	
Inside Debt Limit:	
Street Construction .....	\$350,000.00
Parking Loan .....	150,000.00
Atherton Hough School .....	100,000.00
	\$600,000.00
Outside Debt Limit:	
Health Centre .....	350,000.00
	950,000.00
	\$4,292,000.00
Retirements during 1949:	
Within Debt Limit:	
Central Fire Station .....	\$ 5,000.00
Houghs Neck Fire Station .....	9,000.00
Streets .....	190,000.00
Squantum School Building .....	15,000.00
So. Jr. High School Building .....	15,000.00
Land and Buildings .....	10,000.00
Sewers .....	50,000.00
	\$294,000.00
Outside Debt Limit:	
Hospital .....	\$ 4,000.00
Municipal Relief .....	65,000.00
Municipal Garage ..	3,000.00
Judgment Parking Land .....	15,000.00
Quincy Vet Housing .....	20,000.00
Sewers .....	14,000.00
	\$121,000.00
	415,000.00
	\$3,877,000.00

## FUNDED DEBT AS OF DECEMBER 31, 1949

Schools ..	\$ 435,000.00
Sewers .....	591,000.00
Streets .....	1,320,000.00
Central Fire Station .....	30,000.00
Houghs Neck Fire Station .....	147,000.00
Hospital .....	28,000.00
Municipal Relief .....	55,000.00
Municipal Garage .....	21,000.00
Judgment—Parking Land .....	270,000.00
Land and Buildings Parking Area .....	120,000.00
Quincy Veterans Housing .....	360,000.00
Health Centre .....	350,000.00
Parking Area .....	150,000.00
	\$3,877,000.00
Total Debt of the City on Dec. 31, 1949, divided as follows:	
Inside Debt Limit .....	\$2,597,000.00
Outside Debt Limit .....	1,280,000.00
	\$3,877,000.00

## ESTIMATE AND ACTUAL RECEIPTS 1949

	Estimated	Actual
Income Tax .....	\$ 228,137.00	\$ 506,560.00
Education Allotment .....		180,121.50
Corporation Tax .....	162,886.71	808,392.27
Personal Tax .....	208,644.84	
Business Tax .....	293,020.00	
Motor Vehicle Excise .....	268,044.00	344,187.14
Licenses .....	89,948.00	94,466.88
Fines .....	3,396.00	3,535.45
Special Assessments .....	36,721.00	41,287.78
General Government .....	13,229.00	13,655.91
Protection of Persons & Property .....	17,393.00	19,324.43
Health and Sanitation .....	55,746.00	46,152.81
Highways .....	1,536.00	4,238.75
Welfare .....	92,387.00	101,075.29
Old Age Assistance .....	364,197.00	394,220.35
Meal Tax .....	20,789.66	22,690.98
Veterans Benefits .....	46,297.00	70,703.88
Schools .....	54,807.00	62,393.88
Libraries .....	5,016.00	5,338.20
Recreation .....	5,268.00	5,368.63
Cemeteries .....	27,115.00	28,268.65
Interest on Taxes & Assessments .....	16,473.00	15,330.58
Hospital .....	865,749.00	894,291.67
Quincy Housing .....	8,000.00	2,160.90
Quincy Housing in lieu of taxes .....		7,084.89
Refunds .....	157.00	114.63
West Acres .....		1,415.53
Miscellaneous .....	5,530.00	2,682.74
Additional amounts approved by Commisisoner .....	449,391.00	
<b>Total Receipts .....</b>	<b>\$3,339,788.21</b>	<b>\$3,675,008.83</b>
Assessors' Estimate .....		3,339,788.21
<b>Surplus .....</b>		<b>\$ 335,220.62</b>

## TEMPORARY LOANS

## In Anticipation of Revenue

Issued 1949	Due	Sold to	Rate Disc.	Amount
Feb. 17	Nov. 16, 1949	Merchants Nat'l Bank	.71	\$ 500,000.00
Mar. 22	Dec. 6, 1949	Nat'l Shawmut Bank	.75	500,000.00
Mar. 22	Dec. 22, 1949	Nat'l Shawmut Bank	.75	500,000.00
May 20	Nov. 3, 1949	Merchants Nat'l Bank	.74	500,000.00
June 16	Nov. 23, 1949	Nat'l Shawmut Bank	.78	300,000.00
June 30	Dec. 13, 1949	Nat'l Shawmut Bank	.81	200,000.00
				\$2,500,000.00
Notes Issued 1949 .....				2,500,000.00
Notes Paid 1949 .....				2,500,000.00

## WATER RESERVE

Surplus Jan. 1, 1949 .....	\$274,604.10	
Collections .....	426,796.69	
Appropriation Balance .....	8,431.69	
	\$709,832.48	

City Appropriations .....	\$205,298.62	
State Assessments .....	91,503.28	
Council Transf. ....	64,210.16	
		<u>361,012.06</u>
Surplus Dec. 31, 1949 .....		\$348,820.42

### WATER LIENS

Outstanding Jan. 1, 1949 .....	\$ 5,804.17	
Commitments .....	19,476.25	
		<u>\$ 25,280.42</u>
Collections .....	\$ 2,392.45	
Tax Title Credits .....	482.75	
Abatements .....	82.12	
		<u>2,957.32</u>
Outstanding Dec. 31, 1949 ..		\$ 22,323.10

# CONDENSED BALANCE SHEET, DECEMBER 31, 1949

## REVENUE ACCOUNTS

### ASSETS

Cash	\$ 820,951.73		
Accounts Receivable		Temporary Loans	
Taxes 1948 and Prior	\$ 2,276.06	Final Judgment	\$ 5,792.67
Taxes 1949	330,468.05	Pay Roll Tailings	2,593.38
		Cemetery Sale of Lots	13,690.00
Motor Vehicle 1948	\$ 3,996.66	Sale of Land	16,597.36
Motor Vehicle 1949	35,798.01	Revenue 1950	
		Guarantee Deposits	\$ 113.00
Special Assessments		Cesspool	2,650.00
Sewer	\$ 565.21	Sewer	950.00
Street Betterments	64,874.47	Water	
Sidewalks	5.31	Hospital	
Committed Interest	943.60	Tax Possessions	185.00
Tax Titles		O. A. A. Recovery	3,898.00
Tax Possession		Due County:	3,844.63
Water Liens		Proceeds of Dog Licenses	96.00
Water Rates 1949	\$ 4,199.85	Sale of Dogs	
Water Rates 1948 and Prior	8,717.23	Due State	
		Proceeds of Sporting License	357.50
Water Service Connections		Post War Rehabilitation Fund	113.50
Department Bills		Trust Funds Income	1,193.14
Gypsy Moth	\$ 77.50	Fire Damage	23.44
Scavenger	201.50	State of Massachusetts	
Health	46,477.70	County Tax	
Particular Sewers	5,994.36	Revenue Approp. and Trust Funds	202,103.52
Highways	1,224.99	Water Receipts Reserved	348,820.42
Schools	6,132.19	Reserve Fund Overlay Surplus	6,110.00
Parks		Overlay Reserved for	
Welfare	8,859.65	Abatement of Taxes	\$ 8,681.65
Old Age Assistance	1,633.84	Levy 1948	
Veterans' Relief	4,141.59		
Hospital	370,410.57	Parking Meters Rec. Reserved	13,637.99

Cemetery	673.07	Revenue Reserved until Collected:	
Cash Advance	445,826.36	Motor Vehicle Excise	\$ 39,794.67
Overlay Deficit	12,436.55	Special Assessments	66,388.59
Revenue 1950	15,000.00	Tax Titles and Tax Possessions	118,039.51
No. County Hospital Tax	5,126.72	Departmental	445,826.96
No. County Tax	23,791.75	Water	43,921.84
State of Mass.	12,269.88	Excess and Deficiency	713,971.57
	\$1,936,292.51		594,406.92
			<u>\$1,936,292.31</u>

### NON-REVENUE ACCOUNTS

Cash	\$633,891.61	Appropriation Balances Unexpended	\$633,891.61
Loan Authorized	\$633,891.61	Loans Authorized Unissued	\$633,891.61
			<u>\$1,355,891.50</u>

### DEFERRED REVENUE ACCOUNTS

Apportioned Assessments not due		Deferred Special Assessments	\$135,589.50
Street Betterment	\$114,560.73		
Sewer	20,982.21		
Sidewalks	46.53		
	\$135,589.50		<u>\$135,589.50</u>

### DEBT ACCOUNTS

Bonded Debt	\$3,877,000.00	Inside Debt Limit:	
		School Loans	\$ 485,000.00
		Sewer Loans	395,000.00
		Street Loans	1,320,000.00
		Other Loans	397,000.00
			<u>\$2,597,000.00</u>
		Outside Debt Limit:	
		Sewer Loans	\$ 196,000.00
		Hospital Loans	28,000.00
		Municipal Relief Loans	55,000.00



Judgment Parking Loan	270,000.00
Health Centre Loan	350,000.00
Other Loans	381,000.00
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	1,280,000.00

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\$3,877,000.00

### TRUST FUNDS

Cash and Securities in Custody of Treasurer	\$1,447,269.11
Cash and Securities in Custody of Trustees	
Adams Temple and School Funds	407,765.67
Woodward Fund	331,607.68
Library Funds	42,612.31
Hospital Funds	103,040.02

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\$2,332,294.79

Hospital	\$ 137,413.68
Welfare	2,000.00
Schools	740,373.35
Library	42,612.31
Cemetery	411,676.95
Retirement System	868,219.10
Post War Rehabilitation	130,000.00

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\$2,332,294.79

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## BORROWING CAPACITY FOR 1950

### General Laws, Chapter 44, Section 10.

“Except as otherwise authorized by law, a city shall not authorize indebtedness to an amount exceeding 2½% of the average of the assessors' valuation of the taxable property for the three preceding years, the valuation being first reduced by the amount of all abatements allowed therein previous to December 31st of the preceding year.”

Net Valuation Real and Personal 1947 .....	\$137,436,302.00
Motor Vehicle Excise 1947 ... ..	4,920,777.00
Net Valuation Real and Personal 1948 .....	139,930,992.00
Motor Vehicle Excise 1948 .....	6,938,017.00
Net Valuation Real and Personal 1949 .....	143,759,675.00
Motor Vehicle Excise 1949 .....	8,886,340.00
	\$441,872,103.00
Three years Average .....	\$147,290,700.00
2½% thereof .....	3,682,267.00
Debt within debt limit January 1, 1950 .....	2,597,000.00
	\$ 1,085,267.00
Debt maturing in 1950 which will increase borrowing margin:	
January .....	\$10,000.00
March .....	25,000.00
April .....	75,000.00
May .....	80,000.00
June .....	25,000.00
July .....	55,000.00
August .....	10,000.00
September .....	30,000.00
October .....	24,000.00
	\$334,000.00

